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VOL. XI.

HOLLAND, MICHIGAN, SEPTEMBER 5, 1902.

NO. 34

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Ask for F. M. C. Coffees.

SOCIALIST LABOR TICKET.

The Socialist Labor party held its county convention at the Holland township hall last Saturday. The meeting was called to order by V. F. King, who presided, and G. Booyenga acted as secretary. The chairman made the following address:

"The history of the past 18 months has been replete with proof of the socialist assertions. The retirement of President Schwab of the great Steel Trust, without any perceptible shock, proves that he performed no useful function in the affairs of that corporation, and incidentally shows that the capitalist performs no useful function in society.

"The failure of legislation and congressional investigation to regulate and control the trust proves but one thing, the efficiency of the trust to control the government and buy off bogus back-mailing investigation. The slavish wage worker, in submitting to being robbed of the meat from his table, may be assured that he may soon eat husks with the swine unless he asserts his manhood and stands for his birth right with the organization of his class, the Socialist Labor party.

"The preachers of the Christian Reformed church may assert the brotherhood of capital and labor but the fact of the miners' and teamsters' strikes proves the class struggle in big broad facts. Boycott as a weapon against the capitalist is shown by the example of iron and steel workers, silk workers, the machinist. One weapon and only one remain, the ballot. Let the worker use that ere that be taken away. Our common ownership of not only the trust but in all the means of production and distribution is the remedy. The ballot means, the Socialist labor party the organization."

The following ticket was nominated: Sheriff—William Kincaid.

Clerk—L. De Loof.

Treasurer—Jacob Osterbaan.

Register of Deeds—D. C. Cable, Grand Haven.

Judge of Probate—A. E. Decker.

Circuit Court Commissioners—Gillies Boyenga and Jacob Houtman.

Representative First District—Albert L. Heath.

County Committee—V. F. King, chairman; G. Booyenga, secretary.

PICKLES AT EAST SAUGATUCK.

E. F. Tuxbury, in charge of the Hetsa salt plant at East Saugatuck, writes to the Coopersville Observer as follows: "Pickles are coming in quite fast. We have filled three tanks and started on the fourth. The surrounding country is nearly all settled by Holland people who know how to grow pickles and make it pay. The cool weather is keeping the crop back some but the growers think that there is plenty of time for them to get a good crop if the weather is favorable the balance of the season. This was the banner station of the state last year, as they took in more pickles per the contracted acreage than any other place in the state. The station is some larger than the one at Coopersville and is full of tanks which were all filled last season."

ENDEAVORERS RALLY.

The rally of the Fourth District Christian Endeavorers at Macatawa Park last Friday was a very successful affair, nearly 2,500 attending. The address of welcome was made by Rev. G. H. Dubbink of the Third Reformed church. In the evening he also addressed a large audience at the auditorium. It was unanimously decided to hold next year's rally at Macatawa. The officers elected are:

President—J. G. Kamps, Holland.

Secretary and treasurer—Miss Tressa Godwin, Grand Rapids.

Junior superintendent—Mrs. Hause, Grand Rapids.

Missionary superintendent—Mrs. R. Veneklasen, Zeeland.

SUCCESSFUL MEETINGS.

The revival meetings conducted this summer by Miss Kerkford in a tent on Eighth street, may be continued this fall in one of the local churches. Prof. J. T. Bergen, G. Van Schelven and J. Elferdink, Jr., have been active in starting this movement. Miss Kerkford has been remarkably successful in her work and has no doubt accomplished great good.

PROBABLY MORE DOUBLE TRACK.

The convenience in having a double track on the interurban line to Grand Rapids is daily seen and it is probable that in another year the double track will also be extended to Macatawa Park. It would take away the danger of collision and also shorten the time considerably. The management of the system is doing all possible to give good service and the double track to the parks is confidently expected by many.

CARD OF THANKS.

Wm. Ten Hagen and family desire to express their heartfelt thanks for the kindness shown them during the sickness and death of their dearly beloved wife and mother.

BASE BALL ITEMS.

Lansing Was Easy.

The fast Lansing team, of state league fame, came here last Friday and were taken in by the locals as a matter of fact. The score was R H E Holland— 0 1 0 0 1 2 4 0 *—8 12 1 Lansing— 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1 5 3 Batteries, Karsten and Van der Hill; Hoff and Teal. Umpire, Knoolhuizen.

Battle Creek Too.

Two more games were added to Holland's victories on Monday. Battle Creek has stood high in the state league but they ran up against a hard proposition when they came to Holland. The game in the forenoon was one of the most exciting games played here and resulted in shutting out the visitors. The score was R H E Holland— 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 *—1 2 1 Battle Creek—0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 2 Batteries, Karsten and Van der Hill; Killian and Roth. Umpire, Childs.

In the afternoon a close game was also played but it was not such a fine exhibition of the game as in the forenoon. The result was 4 to 5 in favor of Holland. Both games were well attended. Ionia plays here to-day and to-morrow.

MRS. G. J. BOONE DEAD.

One of the prominent citizens of Zeeland, Mrs. G. J. Boone, died Sunday night. She had been sick for about five weeks. A husband and several children mourn the loss of a kind wife and mother. The funeral took place yesterday from the Reformed church at Zeeland, Rev. J. P. De Jong officiating.

REV. DRUKKER WILL BE INSTALLED.

Rev. D. Drukker will be installed this evening as pastor of the new English Christian Reformed church. The ceremony will take place in the Ninth street Christian Reformed church. Services will be held on Sundays in Winants chapel in the morning and in the Ninth street church in the evening till the new building is finished.

GOOD RACES AT FAIR.

Secretary L. T. Kanters promises some good races for the fair next week. Purses of about \$600 will be divided. The race program is as follows:

Wednesday, Sept. 10, at 2 p. m. sharp, the opening race will be a novelty and hitching race, purse \$15; fancy saddle horses, purse \$7.50; other novelty races will be arranged and announced on Wednesday.

On Thursday, Sept. 11, at 2 p. m., 3 minute trot or pace, 3 in 5, purse \$100; 2:25 trot, 2:30 pace, 3 in 5, purse \$150.

Friday, Sept. 12, will be the best racing day. At 2 p. m. sharp, will occur the 2:35 trot, 2:40 pace, 3 in 5, purse \$125; free-for-all, 3 in 5, purse \$150; wild west riding, \$5; running race, purse \$50.

BOLD BURGLARS.

Grand Haven, Sept. 3.—Edward Snyder of Chicago and Francis Loran of White Cloud, Mo., are in jail here awaiting a hearing on a charge of burglary. They were captured at the Goodrich docks last evening by Sheriff H. J. Dykhuis and Deputy Sheriff Hans Dykhuis an hour after they had burglarized the residence of James Armstead.

The family was away at about 7:30 in the evening when the burglars entered the house and stole a gold watch and a quantity of jewelry.

A few minutes before the Goodrich boat pulled out for Chicago at 9 o'clock two men answering the description of the burglars came down to the dock and were at once arrested by the sheriff. The goods were found stowed away in a crevice in the dock, where they could be easily taken out and smuggled on board the steamer. They will have an examination next Monday.

It is surprising to see all the new fall goods that are being received at John Vandersluis' dry goods store. Hardly a freight or express train comes in but what it brings goods for John Vandersluis. With his large and well lighted cloak room on the ground floor, John is strictly in it. During fair week Mr. Vandersluis will give special inducements in all departments.

While in town next week to see the fair will be an excellent opportunity to obtain relief from that distressing headache, caused by eyestrain, by means of a pair of W. R. Stevenson's properly adjusted glasses. Mr. Stevenson will examine your eyes free of charge, and will furnish you with the kind of glasses you need and the frame you want at a very reasonable price.

Ask for F. M. C. Coffees.

PERSONAL.

Miss Carrie De Feyter is spending a couple weeks with friends in Chicago and South Holland.

Jack Van Anrooy visited in Grand Rapids Monday.

Arthur Bouman, the expert butter maker with the Jamestown Creamery Co., visited here Monday.

Miss Genevieve Swift returned Tuesday from Neshawanta resort and Traverse City.

Rev. A. Zwemer and daughter have returned from a visit to Rev. F. J. Zwemer at Sheboygan Falls, Wis.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Luxen of the First Reformed church at Muskegon, have returned home after spending a week or two here.

John H. Kramer, one of the postoffice forces, has left for Detroit today. He also expects to spend a few days at Neshawanta Falls.

Wm. Poest of the shoe firm of Poest Bros., Zeeland, was in town on business yesterday.

Miss Maggie Verhulst is visiting friends in South Holland, Ill.

Mrs. E. R. Vaughn and Miss Ella Van Wyck of Grand Rapids are visiting Mrs. E. W. Hadden, West Eleventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kerkhof visited in Kalamazoo this week.

Mrs. J. S. Dykstra and Miss Jennie Knoll visited friends in Grand Rapids Monday.

E. P. Stephan visited friends in Grand Rapids Monday.

Mrs. D. C. McCowin of Allegan has been visiting Mrs. J. Elferdink, Sr., a few days ago.

Charles and Siewert Bus of Chicago have been visiting J. Ver Schure and family, West Ninth street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Born of Allegan visited Mr. and Mrs. John Elferdink, Sr., a few days ago.

Mrs. A. P. Van Zanten and children visited relatives at Grand Haven this week.

Arthur Steen was in Allegan Saturday.

A. E. Ferguson of Muskegon called on friends here Saturday.

C. A. Floyd was in Chicago on business Friday.

F. J. Houtman of the Holland Sugar Company, who has been away from business on account of a carbuncle, is able to be in his office again to attend to business.

Ed. Krulsenga of Grand Rapids spent Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Krulsenga.

Miss Lillian Haight of Kalamazoo and Bernie Van Kauran of Traverse City visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Haight this week.

Mrs. J. A. Van der Veen and daughter returned Tuesday from a visit in Grand Rapids.

John Elferdink, Jr., entertained A. De Quik of Ionia this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Meyer visited in Grand Haven Wednesday.

Attorney Daniel Ten Cate was in Grand Haven on business Wednesday.

Miss Jennie Huizinga has returned home from a two month's visit in Pekin, Ill., and a month's visit in Chicago.

Rev. and Mrs. H. M. Bruins after spending their vacation with relatives here, have returned to their home in Pekin, Ill.

Attention Members of the Holland Poultry and Pet Stock Association.

Each member is urgently requested to get their show coops and birds in shape for the coming fair, Sept. 9 to 12. Every member will be expected to show from 2 to 10 birds. Stock will be well taken care of. J. L. CONKEY, Pres. L. S. SPIETSMA, Sec'y.

The Western Theological Seminary

will begin its regular Fall Session on Friday, 19 Sept., at 10 o'clock. Those desiring to enter the Junior Class will be received on Thursday, the 18th, at 10 a. m. Each applicant must present a College Diploma and a Certificate of Church membership. All students are expected to be present at the opening on Friday morning. J. W. BEARDSLEE, Pres.

MRS. TEN HACEN DEAD.

Mrs. William Ten Hagen died Saturday morning at her home, 49 West Twelfth street, at the age of 49 years. She had been sick only a short time. A husband and two daughters survive her. The funeral took place from the house Monday afternoon and was largely attended.

MOVED TO GRAND RAPIDS.

The Dutch paper, "Ons Vaandel," has been moved to Grand Rapids, where it will hereafter be issued. The proprietors believe that there is a wider field there and will extend the business as fast as possible.

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Real Estate Transfers.

ALLIANCE COUNTY.

Edward J. Stow and wife to Allen C. Stow, land in section 24, Saugatuck, \$100.

Henry T. and wife to Helen A. Daggett, lots 28 and 29, Judson's addition, Saugatuck, \$300.

Alfred B. Taylor and wife to Timothy Daggett, lot 23, Judson's addition, Saugatuck, \$50.

Nellie E. Dickinson to Elizabeth A. Shiffer, one-half of lots 7 and 9, Atwater's addition to Fenville, \$350.

Alfred B. Taylor and wife to Wm. R. Takken and wife to Frederick Miller and wife, lots 3 and 4, Judson's addition to Saugatuck, \$950.

Maggie Whiting to Clara E. Crouch, land on section 32, Clyde, \$1,200.

John Sherman and wife to Maria Henning, 30 acres in section 2, Clyde, \$900.

Edwin Hammond and Elizabeth Van Mater to Julia A. Russell and wife, land in section 36, Clyde, \$1,500.

George Whiting to Clara E. Crouch, 20 acres in section 32, Clyde, \$1.

John H. Forrest and wife to Homer G. Draper, land in section 6, Valley, \$1,000.

Lewis Howard and wife to Frank E. Brunt, lot 14, Saugatuck, \$475.

Anson S. Barker and wife to Sophia Darling Weston, 48 and 60-100 acres, section 31, Manlius, \$2,000.

Helen Walker, by heirs, to Clara E. Crouch, land in Clyde, \$350.

Samuel W. Bryan and wife to Clara E. Crouch, 80 acres, section 34, Manlius, \$500.

Irene Snyder and Charles Z. Williams and wife to John Jostburns 42 1/2 acres, section 12, Manlius, \$1,300.

Wm. Loudon and wife to Wm. H. Loudon, 80 acres, section 25, Casco, \$800.

Edward S. Pride and wife to George A. Pride, lots 65 and 66, Saugatuck, \$1, etc.

Gust Kemker and wife to Gerrit H. Kemker, 80 acres, section 27, Fillmore, \$5,550.

George A. Pride to Edward S. Pride and wife, lots 65 and 66, Saugatuck, \$1, etc.

Edward McDonnell and wife to Merrill I. Mead, 13 and 80-100 acres, section 35, Casco, \$3,500.

Fred W. Eaton and wife to John W. May, lots 39 and 40, section 35, Casco, \$600.

OTTAWA COUNTY.

Fillmore Bird to Jacob Kuite, Sr., pt lot 15, blk 31, Holland, \$1,100.

Jennie R. Kanter to Jacob Kuite, Sr., pt lot 15, blk 31, Holland, \$900.

Marius J. Poppe and wife to Melger Van Regenmortel, lot 7, blk A, Cedar Plate add, Holland, \$1,025.

James Kols and wife to Henry M. Scott, lots 1 and 2, section 17, pt Holland, \$500.

Jan W. Boeman and wife to Hemme Boursma, pt lot 4, blk A, city of Holland, \$500.

George E. Kollen and wife to Elbertus Van der Veen, pt lot 4, blk 67, city of Holland, \$1,500.

A Parson's Noble Act.

"I want all the world to know," writes Rev. C. J. Budlong, of Ashaway, R. I., "what a thoroughly good and reliable medicine I found in Electric Bitters. They cured me of jaundice and liver troubles that had caused me great suffering for many years. For a genuine, all-around cure they excel anything I ever saw." Electric Bitters are the surprise of all for their wonderful work in Liver, Kidney and Stomach troubles. Don't fail to try them. Only 50 cents. Satisfaction is guaranteed by Heber Walsh.

Bolling Them Soft.

Mrs. Newlywed—These eggs are still hard. How long did you boil them?
New Cook—Five minutes, ma'am.
Mrs. Newlywed—Well, next time give them ten minutes.—New York Press.

The first factory for the manufacture of cotton sewing thread was located at Pawtucket, R. I., in 1794.

A Certain Cure for Dysentery and Diarrhoea.

"Some years ago I was one of a party that intended making a long bicycle trip," says F. L. Taylor, of New Albany, Bradford county, Pa. "I was taken suddenly with diarrhoea, and was about to give up the trip, when editor Ward, of the Laceyville Messenger, suggested that I take a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I purchased a bottle and took two doses, one before starting and one on the route. I made the trip successfully and never felt any ill effect. Again last summer I was almost completely run down with an attack of dysentery. I bought a bottle of this same remedy and this time one dose cured me." Sold by H. Walsh, Holland; Van Bree & Sons, Zeeland.

Fly Nets, Harness, Etc.

I carry a full line of fly nets, dusters, hand made single and double harnesses, whips, etc. Get my prices and examine my goods. J. Van Gelderen, Zeeland.

FOR SALE—One good clover huller and one 10-horse horsepower for sale, cheap. Enquire of James L. Fairbanks, 14 mile south and 1 1/2 mile east of Holland depot.

TERRIBLE MT. PEELE

Over 200 More Victims of the Wrath of the Island Volcano.

MORNE ROUGE IS ERADICATED

Tidal Wave Sweeps LaCaret and Its People to Destruction.

TERROR RULES THE WHOLE ISLAND

Description of Magnificent Volcanic Fireworks—Train Wreck in Alabama with a Death Toll of Thirty.

Castries, St. Lucia, W. I., Sept. 2.—The British steamer Korona has arrived here from Fort-de-France, Martinique. She reports that a terrible eruption of Mont Pelee occurred at 9 o'clock Saturday night, and that people who arrived at Fort-de-France from the northern part of the island reported that the village of Morne Rouge, near the district previously devastated, had been entirely destroyed, and that LaCaret, a village on the coast which was destroyed at the time of the great eruption, had been swept by a tidal wave. About 200 persons lost their lives. A slope from the Island of St. Vincent which has reached here reports that Mont Pelee's crater is now quiet.

People Are Terror-Stricken. Mont Pelee has been in constant eruption since Aug. 15. There was an enormous fall of ashes from the volcano the night of the 25th. There was a severe eruption the night of the 28th, when the volcanic rumblings were heard at a great distance. The mountain burned fiercely that night, and out at sea passing vessels were covered with ashes. The night of the 30th there were three separate eruptions. It is impossible to approach the ruined town of St. Pierre from the sea. The people of the village of LaCaret, on the coast, are terror-stricken and flying to the interior. Hot water is pouring down on Lorrain and Basse Pointe, villages to the northeast of the crater.

Magnificent but Awful Spectacle. At 8 o'clock in the evening of the 30th the sky was cloudless. Suddenly one-half of the horizon was obscured by a pitch black cloud of dust. This cloud was the center of most magnificent electric effects, the flashes of light surpassing the most elaborate fireworks. Flames and flashes continued to burst from the cloud until nearly midnight. Columns of flame shot out of the crater of Mont Pelee to explode about the cloud in showers of balls of golden fire which fell through the darkness in myriads of sparks. Three large auricles were seen in the sky over the opening of the crater.

More Than 500 Have Been Killed. A tidal wave rushed upon Fort-de-France, and the terrified inhabitants died in large numbers to the interior. The wave was not severe, and did but slight damage. At midnight of the 30th Mont Pelee was quiet; shortly after this hour there came another shower of ashes, accompanied by vivid sheet lightning. In addition to the 200 persons reported to have lost their lives at LaCaret and Morne Rouge many other persons are said to have been killed all over the northern districts of the island. The governor of Martinique is believed to have started for the scene of destruction.

THIRTY ON THE DEAD ROLL

Result of a Train Wreck in Alabama—Eighty Others Wounded.

Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 2.—While rounding a curve in a high embankment near Berry, Ala., at 9:20 a. m. yesterday the engine and four cars of an excursion train on a branch of the Southern railway leaped from the track, and rolled over and over, smashing the coaches into kindling wood and causing the instant death of thirty persons, including the engineer, J. W. Crook, and the injury of eighty-one others. Physicians say at least twenty-nine of the injured cannot live. With the exception of H. M. Dudley, trainmaster of the Southern railway, living at Birmingham; Engineer Crook and Roscoe Shelby, of Columbus, Miss., all of the dead and injured are negroes, who had taken advantage of excursion rates from points in Mississippi to Birmingham.

The dead are: Whites—H. M. Dudley, trainmaster, Southern railway, Birmingham; Roscoe Shelby, Columbus, Miss.; and J. W. Crook, the engineer. Negroes—Jim Smith, Isola; Lillie Martin and child, Columbus, Miss.; Charley Carp, Columbus, Miss.; Ezel Patterson, West Point, Miss.; Ed Clark, Columbus, Miss.; Nute Green, Columbus, Miss.; Willie Thompson, Columbus, Miss., and nineteen others, whose bodies have not been identified.

The names of the fatally injured, negroes, all of whom are from Mississippi, follow: Emmett Leroy, John McRevey (fireman), Jim Johnson, Simon Giron, William Taylor, John Thompson, Ben Long, Joe Alexander, George Barnett, P. W. Julian, Alfred Matthews, Robert Phillips, Lee Wilson, Edmond Young, Jim Black, George O'Neill, Mollie King, Lulu Shaw, Estelle Brown, Lee Williams, Salisbury Mason, John Ross, Walter Richardson, Willie Brown, Allen Snow, I. C. Chandler and Kid Clark.

When the wreck occurred the train was running at a rate of thirty miles an hour, and just started around a curve on top of a sixty-foot embankment. Without warning the tender of the engine suddenly left the track, jerking the engine and the first four cars with it. There were ten cars to the excursion train, but the fourth broke loose from the fifth and with the heavy engine plunged down the steep incline. The cars, which were packed with passengers, turned completely over several times, and were crushed like egg shells, killing and crippling the inmates. Persons who have returned from the scene of the wreck say it is indescribable.

FIFTEEN PEOPLE SHOT.

Negro in Resisting Arrest Wounds Police and Citizens Who Went to Aid the Officers.

New York, Sept. 2.—Jerry Hunter, the negro who shot a number of policemen and set fire to his house in Queens borough, in an effort to escape arrest, was captured and locked up in the Astoria jail. In the fight between Hunter and those who tried to arrest him, eleven policemen, three citizens and Hunter's wife were wounded. Mrs. Hunter, who helped her husband in his efforts to escape, was taken to a hospital, where it was said that she was in a serious condition. Hunter was badly beaten in the struggle when he was caught. John McKenna, a patrolman, was shot in the head and face. Both his eyes were destroyed and the wounds in his head were so serious that his recovery was thought to be doubtful. The citizens wounded were men who had been called upon by the police to aid in subduing Hunter.

Hunter was employed as caretaker of a large tract of land near North Beach, L. I. He saw a man digging sand-worms on the property and he shot at the intruder, who ran away and told Policeman McKenna, what Hunter had done. McKenna ran to Hunter's home and was shot by the negro. The police reserves were called out then, and a siege was begun which lasted until after 2 o'clock in the morning. Every time a policeman moved from cover, a shot would be fired. Fortunately for the police, Hunter seemed to have only a shotgun. Shortly after 2 o'clock Hunter set fire to the house and tried to escape. Mrs. Hunter carried an old cavalry sabre and with this she fought until overpowered, inflicting severe wounds on Patrolman Cassidy. Hunter ran for a patch of woods near the house, but was caught and subdued after a severe struggle in which he was badly wounded.

DISASTER IN ALGOA BAY.

Gale Wrecks Thirty-eight Ships and Many Persons Are Drowned—Fifty Bodies Recovered.

Cape Town, Sept. 2.—Thirty-eight vessels have been driven ashore in a gale at Algoa Bay. Five of them were smashed to pieces, and all on board lost. Fifty bodies have already been washed ashore. Sir John Gordon Spragg, the premier, said in the house of assembly that he feared the loss of life from the gale would be enormous. The storm broke shortly before midnight last night and was accompanied by a deluge of rain and brilliant lightning. The night was extremely dark. Several tugs went out to the assistance of the endangered vessels, but nothing was visible from the shore at Port Elizabeth, except the continual flashes of rockets as signals of distress.

Daylight revealed the beach at the north end of Algoa Bay strewn with vessels lying high and dry, while others were in the surf and being swept by the huge breakers. With the exception of five vessels which foundered with all hands, every sailing vessel in the roadstead was ashore by midday. Many steamers, after weathering the storm all night, steamed out to sea at daybreak.

Son Finds Father's Body.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 2.—George J. Barrett, secretary of the Springfield City Savings and Loan Association and a member of the county board of supervisors, committed suicide some time during the night by shooting himself. His body was found in the morning by his eldest son. Mr. Barrett had been mentally unbalanced for two months, but beyond loss of sleep his friends are unable to assign any cause for the affliction. His accounts with the loan association are all right except for a few minor errors due to his condition of mind recently.

Express Car Safe Rifled.

Nashville, Sept. 2.—Early last night, between this city and Franklin, Tenn., eighteen miles south of here, the local safe on the express car of Louisville and Nashville through train No. 2, northbound, was rifled by two masked men. According to his own announcement one of the principals was Gus Hyatt, who escaped from the Tennessee penitentiary here on Aug. 4 last. Express officials estimate the loss at about \$500.

Bishop Farley Is Chosen.

Rome, Sept. 2.—The propaganda, after a long sitting decided to recommend that the pope appoint Rt. Rev. John M. Farley, auxiliary bishop of New York, in succession to the late Archbishop Corrigan. Rt. Rev. George Montgomery, bishop of Los Angeles, Cal., was nominated as coadjutor with right of succession to Most Rev. Patrick William Hordan, archbishop of San Francisco.

Nominated for Congress.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Aug. 29.—General Fred B. Wood of Tecumseh was nominated for congress by the Democrats of the Second congressional district.

Freeport, Ill., Aug. 29.—Lewis Dickes of Freeport was nominated for congress by the Democrats of the Thirtieth congressional district at their convention held here.

Bae's Daughter Fatally Hurt.

Lancaster, Pa., Sept. 2.—Mrs. William Appel, of this city, and Mrs. J. Stewart Walker, of Lynchburg, Va., were fatally injured in a runaway accident. Mrs. Appel is a daughter of President George F. Paer, of the Reading Railway Company. Mrs. Walker was here on a visit to her mother, Mrs. George Calder.

Democrats Carry Arkansas.

Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 2.—Yesterday's gubernatorial election passed off quietly. Returns from twenty-five of the seventy-five counties in the state indicate that the victory of the Democratic ticket is complete. Jefferson Davis, Democrat for governor, sweeping twenty-four counties by a large majority.

Little Hope for Judge Durand.

Flint, Mich., Sept. 2.—Judge George H. Durand, the Democratic nominee for governor, who was stricken with paralysis, due to cerebral embolism, is conscious, but unable to speak. His physicians say Judge Durand might live 48 hours, but that his recovery was all but impossible.

YOUNG GRANT'S COLT.

The Story of a Purchase That Earned the Boy Much Teasing.

When Ulysses S. Grant was a small boy living in Georgetown, O., he wanted, like most boys, to own a horse, and one particular colt belonging to a man named Ralston he wished especially to have. To indulge the boy's taste and buy the colt his father offered Mr. Ralston \$20, but the owner valued the colt at \$25 and refused the offer, taking the animal home with him.

As the hours passed after the little horse had trotted away with its owner Ulysses' disappointment and eagerness for possession increased, and he finally begged his father to pay the \$25 demanded. His father said that \$20 was all the animal was worth, but since Ulysses desired it so much he might go to Mr. Ralston and offer \$20 again. If, his father added, he could not buy it for \$20, he might offer \$22.50, and if the owner would not let it go for \$22.50 he might, in order to obtain it, give \$25. Ulysses therefore mounted a horse and set out for Mr. Ralston's. He was at that time probably about eight years old.

When he found the owner, he told him, "Papa says I may offer you \$20 for the colt, but if you won't take that to offer you \$22.50, and if you won't take that to give you \$25."

The eagerness of the boy to gain the horse could not brook any barrier. It is needless to say that he paid \$25 and led the animal home.

Grant said, in writing his memoirs, that the story of this purchase of his got out in the village and it was long before he heard the last of it. The schoolboys delighted in teasing him about it; schoolboys are very often little barbarians for tormenting one another, and they did not let Ulysses forget this one instance when he was behind the rest in cleverness.

He kept the horse for several years and finally sold it for \$20, the poor animal having become blind. Later he found it taken from the road and working the tread wheel of a ferryboat which plied between the Ohio and Kentucky banks of the Ohio river.

THE PERPETUAL LIGHT.

Remarkable Lamp in Louisiana That Never Goes Out.

"The most remarkable lamp in this section of the country," said a man who cruises a great deal along the coast to the New Orleans Times-Democrat, "is to be found in the water area between Lake Borgne and Mississippi sound in a lonely, desolate, isolated spot, where the fall of human feet and the dip of oars are heard only four times a year.

"The light is some distance this side of Bay St. Louis and is a little south of Chinchuba. It stands away out in the marsh, but can be seen from the Louisville and Nashville railroad. It burns all the time, day and night, year in and year out. It flickers away for the benefit of the mariners who frequent these waters. It is the Perpetual light. The sun, the moon and stars may come and go, but the light which shines out in the dismal marsh is always the same. It is the one bright thing in a rather dismal stretch of country. Seaweeds grow wild and rank in that region. The land, such as one may see from a railroad train, is a flat and treeless waste. It is without any cheerful aspect, low, gloomy, overhung by miasmatic mist and a perfect prairie of wild and matted weeds of the kind which flourish in marshy regions. It is threaded by sluggish arms of water.

"Once every three months this lamp is visited by a human being. It is filled with oil, trimmed up and put in condition to burn for three months longer. Thus it is visited four times a year. It is situated so that the winds cannot put it out. It renders good service, never explodes, never goes out, never gets dimmer or brighter, but burns with the same steady power all the time. It has earned the name of the Perpetual Light."

Washing in the Orient.

The Japanese rip their garments apart for every washing, and they iron their clothes by spreading them on a flat board and leaning this up against the house to dry. The sun takes the wrinkles out of the clothes, and some of them have quite a luster. The Japanese woman does her washing out of doors. Her washtub is not more than six inches high.

The hardest worked washerwomen in the world are the Koreans. They have to wash about a dozen dresses for their husbands, and they have plenty to do. The washing is usually done in cold water and often in running streams. The clothes are pounded with paddles until they shine like a shirt front fresh from a laundry.—Chicago News.

A Heartless Interruption.

A young Parisian, noted for his grace and readiness as a second in many duels, was asked by a friend to accompany him to the mayor's office to affix his signature as a witness to the matrimonial registry. He consented, but when the scene was reached forgot himself. Just as the mayor was ready for the last formalities he broke out: "Gentlemen, cannot this affair be arranged? Is there no way of preventing this sad occurrence?"

How True!

"Say, Jinks, where is that fine gold watch you used to sport? I see now that you're wearing a plain affair in a nickel plated case."

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Fred A. Shadbolt, 29, Grand Rapids; Francis M. Lake, 32, East Saginaw.

William Kamperman, 23, Zeeland; Dora Klumper, 26, Overisel.

Emory G. Barager, 25, Conklin; Alta M. Arnold, 19, Conklin.

John William Tremper, 28, Chicago; Coraella E. LeFebvre, 26, Grand Haven.

Charles D. Wiloot, 34, Grand Haven; Julia Harvett, 22, Grand Rapids.

Reginald R. Godwin, 44, Ottawa Beach; Madeline C. Jones, 21, Chicago, Ill.

Willard Burch, 52, Robinson; Alma May Gallup, 44, Crookery.

ALLEGAN COUNTY.

Jay Dowd of Cheshire and Dora Slentz of Lee.

Frank E. Steel of Albion and Mrs. Mattie Frost of Watson.

Clyde McClintock of Bradley and Myrtle Fales of Wayland.

George Miller of Miner Lake and Alice B. Leicht of Allegan.

William H. Van Order of Allegan and Miss Powers of Dunningville.

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OTTAWA COUNTY TIMES

This Year.

FATAL DISCOVERIES.

INVENTIONS THAT BROUGHT THEIR ORIGINATORS TO THE GRAVE.

Scientific Secrets That Have Been Buried With the Men Who Possessed Them and That Were the Causes of Their Tragic Taking Off.

The maxim which states that silence is golden has cost the world some of the greatest discoveries of modern times, for not a few of the inventors whose names would have been handed down to posterity as public benefactors have been killed by their secrets before they would consent to divulge them to their fellow beings.

In 1835 all Europe was startled by the discovery of a new explosive called fulminate, which, it was believed, would revolutionize modern warfare. It was the invention of an Exeter scientist named Sawbridge, and samples of the explosive which were tested by the government revealed the fact that its power was three times greater than that of cordite and in consequence it would treble the range of a rifle bullet. The German government offered Sawbridge £20,000 for his invention, which he patriotically refused until the home authorities had had the first option of purchase. But just as the latter were about to seal a contract with him the news came that his laboratory had been blown up and himself with it. Unfortunately he left no records whatever, and although some of the leading experts of the day minutely examined the debris they failed to discover the secret, which is probably lost forever.

About half a century ago an Italian priest named Luigi Taranti discovered a method of making stained glass, the coloring of which was declared equal to that made by the ancients, whose secret has been lost. Taranti abandoned holy orders and set to work to execute the hundreds of commissions he received in the secrecy of his workshop at Ostia, near Rome. The finest stained glass windows in Italy were made by him, and he guarded his secret well, for when a year later he was found dead of blood poisoning, set up by the pigments he employed, it was realized that he had carried his secret with him. The cleverest workmen were called in to examine the ingredients, but they one and all failed to penetrate the dead man's secret.

The person who could make composition billiard balls equal to those of ivory would quickly qualify as a millionaire, and it is not an impossible task, for it has already been done. Some years ago a Scotch manufacturer put composition billiard balls on the market which were as good as but only a third of the price of those already in use. He refrained from patenting his invention and made all the balls himself, even his family being prohibited from sharing his secret. But just as he was beginning to taste the fruits of his experiments he was one day mortally wounded by an accident in his workshop and died before he could make any statement. Experts were given specimens of the balls to analyze, but in spite of the fact that they succeeded in tracing the materials used they have long since given up all hopes of being able to discover how they were put together.

The only man who has yet been successful in taking photographs in color was a martyr to his discovery, the secret of which is lost. Some years ago Dr. Herbert Franklin of Chicago submitted a number of colored photographs—of a somewhat crude nature, it is true—to the leading American scientific institutions, and the encouragement he received was such that he built himself a laboratory, proof against the wiles of spies, at a cost of \$12,000, wherein to perfect his invention. In the preparation of his plates he used a charcoal fire, and one day when at work he omitted to open the ventilators and was found asphyxiated. He had refrained from divulging his secret to any one, and in consequence, although some partially finished plates that hid the secret remained, the way they were prepared is a problem that has baffled scientists to this day.

Another victim to his secret was Adams, the inventor of tellium, the greatest discovery in the metals of the age. Adams was confident that a metal could be produced which, although as hard as steel, was only half its weight and price, and after five years' experimenting with an electrical process tellium was the result. The invention was taken up throughout America, and orders for thousands of tons of the metal began to pour in from the leading railway companies.

But it was too late. The enormous mental strain he had undergone, coupled with the sensation of finding millions within his grasp, took away his reason, and he was confined in an asylum. He left no records to explain the process, and no amount of persuasion drew the secret from him, which perished locked up in his brain when two years later he died a helpless lunatic.—London Tit-Bits.

Believes in the Theory. "Somebody advances the idea that there are words that affect us just as certain colors do."

"I dunno about the colors, but I'm pretty sure to froth at the mouth every time I hear 'line's busy.'"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Invisible.

Briggs (sarcastically)—That was a beautiful, fine horse you sold me.

Griggs—Wasn't he? As I said, not a blemish on him.

"No. All inside."—Detroit Free Press.

A man talks knowingly of the inconsistency of women and then proceeds to get mad if one of them proves he is right.—Chicago News.

NEWS OF THE STATE.

Telegraphic Reports of Matters of General Interest to Our Readers.

MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS BY WIRE

Items Prepared with Special Care for the Convenience of Our Own Readers.

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 1.—Myers, "the gentlemanly burglar" captured a few nights ago by a police officer and a reporter, has been entertaining the newspaper men in the jail. "There are some things I wouldn't do intentionally," he told them. "I never rob a poor person; I wouldn't insult a woman nor stand by and see one insulted, and I wouldn't shoot a person. I have always avoided working with a gun man." He told a good joke on himself during his trip through the state.

Have to Watch Things in Michigan.

"I had a good Panama hat when I came into the state, and it was stolen from me in a hotel. Then I bought a \$5 Stetson and I had not worn that but a few days before some fellow lifted it. Then I was mad, and since then I carry my hat into the dining room. Rather remarkable that I should object to any one stealing from me, is it not?" he naively concluded. Miss Hopkins, whose house he went through, came to the cage door. Myers' greeting was that of a well-bred man.

Couldn't Do the Subject Justice, Anyhow.

He expressed no apologies, discussed one or two incidents of his visit to her home, and was unable to know where Miss Hopkins desired to know where the revolver which had been taken from her house was. Myers stated that it was lost and then said that the big gun taken off his person was his personal property and offered it to her in exchange. "I am sorry," said he, "that I can't return yours, but you are welcome to the other."

Another Freak Burglar Noted.

Saginaw, Mich., Sept. 1.—John Lopp, claiming Freeland as his home, is in jail here. The other night a newsboy was held up by a man with one hand and robbed of 75 cents. Raymond Jones, the 10-year-old who was held up, identified the man at the central station. Captain Baskins having brought him here from Bay City, where he was arrested on suspicion. He answers the description first given by the boy.

Million Acres Transferred.

Marquette, Mich., Sept. 2.—The Detroit, Mackinac and Marquette company has just sold 1,000,000 acres of its land grant to the Upper Peninsula Land company, a newly organized corporation, subsidiary to the Cleveland Cliffs Iron company. The land lies in several counties between Marquette and Sault Ste. Marie, and is well timbered with hardwood. The land will be colonized. The deal gives the iron company an aggregate holding of 1,500,000 acres of the best lands in the upper peninsula.

Found the Tender a Hot Place.

Plymouth, Mich., Sept. 2.—Ray Armstrong, aged 17, and Frank Peepers, aged 15, climbed out on the locomotive tender of an excursion train. They were struck by a stream of hot water thrown from the engine, and severely scalded. The boys say they had to ride on the tender because the train was overcrowded. The railroad men say the boys had no business to be where they were, and that they were accidentally scalded during the process of wetting down the coal.

New Test for the Barrens.

Hillman, Mich., Sept. 2.—Lewis Glaque has just received a couple of ear loads of western horses at his ranch near Atlanta and will give the pine barrens a thorough test as to their qualification for stock raising. He will not afford them any shelter the coming winter, but will allow them to roam the plains, gather their own food and shelter themselves. If they winter all right, he will add a couple of hundred horses to his stock next spring.

But Mob Spirit Was Responsible.

Monroe, Mich., Sept. 1.—Lynott Bloodgood, a local money lender, was arrested by Sheriff Hulse as soon as a coroner's jury had rendered a verdict that his was the shot that killed Joseph LaBarge, when the latter was chased into a cornfield by a crowd laboring under the misapprehension that he had assaulted Mrs. Walter Lemerand. Bloodgood was held in \$5,000 bail.

Extraordinary Catch of Fish.

Gogebic, Mich., Aug. 30.—The exceptional catch of a seven-pound smallmouth bass was announced yesterday by the passenger department of the Northwestern line, the lucky fisherman being Colonel James Kilbourne, of Columbus, O., recent Democratic nominee for governor of that state.

One Man Died in the Fire.

Bay City, Mich., Aug. 30.—One life was lost as a result of the fire that destroyed Wood's Opera House here last night, causing a loss of \$100,000. The badly crushed body of Eugene Cambra, aged 22, a spectator, was found among some fallen walls.

Child Dies by Its Mother's Side.

Jackson, Mich., Sept. 2.—Mrs. Geo. Wethers found her 7 weeks old daughter dead in bed by her side when she awoke in the morning. The child had been suffering from whooping cough and it is believed died from a spasm during the night.

Didn't Know It Was Loaded.

Calumet, Mich., Aug. 30.—Hiram Richards was shot and killed by Willie Steimel, a companion. The latter was playing with a revolver and didn't know it was loaded.

Fire in an Opera House.

Bay City, Mich., Aug. 20.—Fire started on the stage of Woods' Opera House last night and destroyed the building. Loss, \$100,000.

THOSE FINES HAVE BEEN PAID

Henderson-Ames Men Settle Up Promptly—Case of Roos.

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 1.—The \$7,200 imposed in fines on the four Henderson-Ames men was paid to the county clerk on time and will go to enrich the county library fund. The military scandal is not exactly a closed incident. A charge of perjury remains against Eli R. Sutton, and one of aiding the commission of the offense awaits Elbert S. Roos. Roos has been disbarred for his connection with the deal, and his punishment on the charge recently preferred may be lighter than other Henderson-Ames directors received for that reason. Several thousand dollars in the money is still due the state from Generals White and Marsh.

E. S. Roos, of Kalamazoo, the last of the Henderson-Ames company directors to be charged with conspiracy to defraud the state in the military clothing frauds, has been arraigned, demanded an examination, which was fixed for Sept. 10. He gave \$10,000 bail with two sureties.

Fought It Out on the Road.

Port Huron, Mich., Aug. 30.—Edward McGill, saloonkeeper, and Dr. A. L. McLaren, of Petrolia, Ont., formerly of this city, met in a lonely road near Thornton, eight miles from this city, and fought a bloody battle. It is alleged that knives were used. The doctor's head was pounded and his nose split open. McGill was locked up and later released. Mrs. McGill was at a farm house near where the fight occurred, and her irate husband brought her back to the city with him. The couple do not live together.

Has a Good Memory for Money.

Bay City, Mich., Sept. 2.—Henry Shaefer, of Highwood, has been carefully saving his earnings in a lumber camp just north of this city. The other night he was robbed of \$38.27. He sent a complete description of the several denominations to Sheriff Kinney, with the request to look them up. He knew the treasurer bills so well that he recalled every bank and every president whose signature adorned them. So far none have turned up in local banks.

Michigan College of Mines.

Houghton, Mich., Aug. 30.—Commencement day at the Michigan College of Mines was marked by the dedication of two handsome new buildings. One was the chemistry building and the other the mining engineering building. Charles S. Osborn, state commissioner of railroads, made the address to the graduating class in the evening. The graduating class, numbering twenty-five, included men from all over the United States and Canada.

Asbestos Found Near Ishpeming.

Ishpeming, Mich., Aug. 29.—A valuable deposit of asbestos has been proved up near the Ropes Gold mine, several miles from this city, and a local company is organized to develop the find. Numerous test pits have been dug, and the asbestos has been found to exist in a deposit 800 feet long by 200 in width. There are many thousands of tons of the mineral in sight. The fiber averages five inches in length and is worth \$40 a ton.

Horrible Death of a Babe.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Aug. 29.—Orin Fremont Skinner, the 11-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Skinner, toddled over to a bureau drawer and got hold of a bottle of nitric acid. He pulled out the cork and poured the contents over himself. The acid ate through the clothing and burned deep into the flesh. The screams of the child attracted the mother, and a doctor was sent for, but the babe died in great agony.

Vessel Burns in the Bay.

Menominee, Mich., Aug. 29.—The shore of the bay here was lined last evening with excited people watching a vessel in flames four or five miles out. The figure of a man was darkly outlined walking around on the ill-fated boat. A fire tug and the tug O. M. Fields reached the vessel and got the fire under control after the boat was a total wreck.

Highly Esteemed at Traverse City.

Traverse City, Mich., Sept. 1.—Mabel Rickard, one of the victims of the Lake Goguaq disaster, was highly esteemed in this city. Her brother, A. W. Rickard, is a prominent business man, and for several years was city clerk. Miss Rickard was a stenographer in the city clerk's office during that time. Her tragic death caused a shock in this community.

Naval Brigade in Camp.

Saginaw, Mich., Sept. 2.—The Second division of the Michigan state naval brigade under command of Lieutenant Fred. L. Eaton has left here in whale boats to camp on the west shore of Saginaw bay, near Linwood until Tuesday morning. The division's howitzer and all arms will be taken, and competitive firing will take place.

Cut His Throat with a Razor.

Manistee, Mich., Sept. 1.—Henry White, aged 52, cut his throat from ear to ear with a razor. He arose from bed just before daylight for the ostensible purpose of getting a drink of water from the kitchen faucet. Some time later his wife heard the noise of a heavy fall. Going out she found him lying dead. Failing health.

Readmitted to the Fold.

Corunna, Mich., Sept. 1.—Rev. Anderson C. Marshall, the "racing parson," and former mayor of this city, who was expelled from the Baptist ministry because of his horse racing proclivities, has been readmitted to the fold.

Michigan Minutes.

Flint—Flint owes the water works company \$26,619.82 on old bills.

Capac—Rev. J. W. Gray was re-elected president of the Methodist Protestant conference for a third term.

Owosso—The Twenty-second Michigan infantry held their thirty-fifth annual reunion here. About 100 attended.

Ann Arbor—A stranger, about 48 years old, is accused of stuffing a watch up his sleeve while examining jewelry at a local store.

Ypsilanti—The Ypsilanti Business Men's association will hold its second annual outing, Thursday, Sept. 4.

Grand Rapids—Miss Mabelle Olive Sanford and Wellington Grove were married by a sister of Rev. Emmillies Blake, of the Spiritualist church.

UNCLE SAM'S FREAK MONEY

Bills That Are Twenty Dollars on One Side and Ten on the Reverse.

Scattered throughout the country are a few pieces of paper money that are known as "freak bills" by the officials of the treasury department. One of them turned up in this city not long ago—it had the imprint of a twenty dollar note on one side and a ten on the other. As the face showed the twenty, that was its legal value.

The deputy assistant treasurer of the United States, who is stationed in the New York subtreasury, was speaking of these freaks the other day and said he had only seen one of them in his life, although he had heard of several. Very rarely they have slipped through the bureau of engraving and printing despite a careful scrutiny by three or four sets of inspectors. In most cases they have been national banknotes, which, like regular treasury notes, are printed at the bureau in Washington. The face value always is recognized when the freaks come to be cashed in at any branch of the treasury, and the imprint on the back has no lawful status whatever.

"The notes are printed in sheets at the bureau," said the official. "Usually there will be one twenty and two tens on a sheet. They are printed one side at a time, so it can be seen that the printer in turning over the sheet might get it upside down and thus put a ten dollar back on the twenty dollar note, or twenty on the back of one of the tens."

In the bureau are women who are supposed to examine all the bills carefully, but occasionally they neglect to look at both sides as scrutinizingly as they should, and so the money goes out into circulation. When errors are discovered, the misprinted sheet is laid aside to be destroyed. It cannot be torn up at once, for every sheet has to be accounted for. After a good deal of red tape, it is ground up into pulp.

Most of the freak bills which have been issued in the past have found their way back to the treasury, there to be destroyed. It is thought that less than a dozen are now scattered about, most of them in the hands of curious hunters. The official said that no effort to collect them had been made by the government and that the treasury department did not consider the circulation of the few notes a matter of any consequence, inasmuch as there was no doubt about the values as indicated on the face.—New York Times.

THE COOKBOOK

If the pastry be slow in browning, throw a little sugar on the oven shelf. This will expedite matters greatly.

If the skin of a beet root has got broken, sear the part with a redhot iron before cooking it. This will prevent the beet from bleeding.

The next time tomato soup is planned for the family dinner try adding a few slices of orange just before serving and enjoy the pleasant flavor which they impart.

Eggplant is most palatable when broiled. Cut into thick slices, with the skin on; dip in olive oil seasoned with salt and pepper and cook on wire broiler over a clear fire five or ten minutes.

When a cake contains too much flour or has baked too fast, it will sink from the edges or rise up sharply, with a crack in the middle. If cake has a coarse grain, it was not beaten enough or the oven was too slow.

If you like coconut pyramids, beat the whites of two eggs till light and stiff; mix with two cupfuls of grated coconut, one cupful of powdered sugar and two tablespoonfuls of flour; make into pyramids and bake brown.

The Shortest Lived City.

Which of the large cities of the world had the shortest life?

In the ancient world the answer is Palmyra. The period of its prosperity extended only from 117 to 273 A. D., 156 years. In the fifth century B. C. Persopolis was the capital of the Persian empire for thirty years only, but this was merely an accident of war and politics. Carthage was the shortest lived seat of empire, for it only endured about 500 years. In modern times the answer would be Amarapura, the former capital of Burma. Founded in 1783, it had in 1800 a population of 175,000. Sixty years later the seat of government was transferred to Mandalay, and Amarapura is now represented only by a few ruined temples and bamboo huts.—London Answers.

What's in a Name?

Her name is Margaret, but all her friends call her Daisy. It is a pet name she has been known by since she was a child. There is a pretty, bright, charming freshness about her which the flower suggests. But notwithstanding the appropriateness of the nickname the girl, who has recently attained the dignity of an engagement ring, has discarded it once and for all, and no one is a friend of hers who does not call her Margaret. It is all on account of the new name she is to take. She will eventually be Mrs. Field.

"And it is a very nice name, too," says the girl, "but I do not intend to be a 'daisy field.'"—New York Times.

Homemade Barometer.

A convenient barometer for the kitchen may be made with an ordinary glass jam jar and an old oil flask. Fill the jar three parts full of water, and after cleaning the flask place it in the jar neck downward. The rising of the water in the flask will indicate fine weather. Unsettled weather will be foretold by the sinking of the water.

Good Manager.

"You seem to manage remarkably well on your housekeeping money."

"Yes. The tradespeople haven't sent their bills in yet."—New York Herald.

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THE COUNTY FAIR.

The season of the county fair is here and soon it will be a centre of attraction throughout every state and province on the continent. Because of its educational and social features the county fair has long enjoyed a high place in public favour, and its continued success is desired by every one interested in the affairs of country life. The county fair has amply justified its existence on the grounds of usefulness, and it has given good returns for every dollar properly spent upon it. When conducted upon proper lines there is no reason why its usefulness should not become more marked and its popularity increased. The county fair has ever been on the side of good farming and whatever takes that side cannot be very far wrong. The primary idea it has always advanced is improvement, and that is a pretty good text to preach from—improvement in methods of farming, improvement in kinds of crops, improvements in breeds of stock. The county fair has said to the farmer, do better next year and then bring here the specimens of your best, and thus see who has done the best of all. The premium awarded by the fair is only the nominal prize, the true prize being the lesson learned through this friendly rivalry; and in this prize of improved agriculture every farmer in the county has a share. Then, too, the social features of the fair are worth considering, for the fair is the great annual visiting place of the whole countryside. The regular round of the farmer's work pretty well confines him to his own home and its immediate surroundings. He has but little time for distant visiting; but at fair time there is a general meeting, old acquaintances are renewed and the tendency of this is to preserve that feeling of community of interests which farmers as a class should try to foster.

Of late years the visitors to the county fairs have expected a more enlarged and varied programme than that which satisfied the public a generation ago. What are known as special features have from year to year been increased, until in some cases they seem almost to predominate, casting into the background the primary purpose of the fair. In some cases the educational features have been dwarfed, and the agricultural fair has become a horse race with a side show annexed. Fortunately such extreme development of the amusement side of the county fair is the exception, but in some parts of the country the tendency is in that direction. How to meet it and how to properly balance the various features of their fair is one of the most difficult problems confronting directors and executive committees. The successful administrators are those who strike the happy medium, and while not eliminating or obscuring the real purpose of the fair are able to enhance its attractiveness by a limited programme of wholesome amusements. Within certain limits the character of those amusements is to be determined by the taste of the people, the facilities afforded by the fair ground, and the funds at the disposal of the executive; but there is another class of special features, which at times have gained admittance to fair grounds, but which should be driven out and excluded forever. No fair, either great or small, should allow within its ground any form of gambling, however it may be concealed under forms of games or feats of skill or strength. The fakir, who under pretence of selling what is really worthless trash, robs his patrons either openly or by stealth, the fortune teller and the showman with nothing within his gaudily painted tent to show—all these and all of their kind should be shut out of every fair ground in the land. Privileges should only be allowed those who give something like value for the money spent with them by the patrons of the fair. If the executive will bear in mind that first and foremost they are conducting a fair they will not go far astray in providing the special features. Let everything possible be done for the pleasure and comfort of the patrons, but let the primary object of the fair be the development of the agricultural interests.

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IS A GREAT DRIVER.

The success which has attended H. Boone's trotter McKinley, in the races this summer, is no doubt due to some extent to his driver, Johnny Boone, the 18 years old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Boone. The Grand Rapids Herald in an article a few days ago says: "Johnny Boone has been a horseman ever since he was in kilt. His father, H. Boone of Holland, made a habit of putting the lad in a sulky seat behind his more trusty animals when the wind took the boy's skirts up into his face. He was never afraid then and his nerve has always stood by him and that is one reason he is the great driver he is today. When the boy reached the knee pants stage he took to riding running horses and for several years he was the most trusty exercise boy the thoroughbred men about Holland could find. He liked the bobtail, too, but as his father was engaged in breeding and racing harness horses, he gave up the gallopers and has since devoted his abilities to handling the reins from the sulky seat.

The youthful driver's fame has spread beyond the confines of the state of Michigan and reached the ears of C. G. K. Billings, the multi-millionaire owner of race horses, whose string is headed by Little Boy, 2:04, the world's pacing champion to wagon. Mr. Billings offered Johnny Boone a princely salary to become his second trainer and naturally it opened the eyes of the youth. His father had a hard time to induce him to turn down the offer and it is said the only reason he did so was that he is a dutiful son.

The boy's prowess as a reinsman when he was very much of a youngster is illustrated by a story which is kept in stock down in Holland to spring on every one who asks about Johnny. The Boone's picked up a vicious horse named Dr. Van, the price paid for him being \$112. He had such a bad disposition that no one could do anything with him up to the time Johnny Boone took him in charge. He was a fine animal and well bred and Johnny could see a nice round figure coming for him if he could get him under control.

The boy had had much success in handling vicious horses and soon Dr. Van, as others before him had done, became subservient to the boy's will. The horse was taken to Chicago and put up at one of the sales conducted by the veteran salesman, John Splan. The driver that sat in the cart as the horse was driven around the ring was a bit of a boy and as the style and carriage of the horse was superb and he was so gentle that "a child could drive him," the bidding became spirited at once. He was finally knocked off at \$600.

The young man's habits are correct in every respect and strange as it may seem he hasn't the swellhead a bit over his successes.

Thursday night after he had again landed McKinley in front one of the horsemen met him at the Warwick and asked him to have a drink. "Much obliged," said Johnny, "but I never drink." Johnny is early to bed and one of the first up in the morning and out on the track to give his horse the benefit of the fresh morning air. His nerve as a result is always steady and his head and eye clear.

Over at Pontiac the young man made a hero of himself and in this McKinley did not figure. He was walking down the track to weigh in for the last heat of his race when he saw a horse running away in the center field. A young lady was in the rig pulling bravely on the reins, but without avail and the horse was kicking with both feet at every jump. There was but one thing for a brave young man to do and Johnny did it. He put one hand on the rail, leaped over the fence, plunged at the horse's head, grabbed him by the bits and in 20 feet brought the frightened animal to a stop. The young lady in the carriage was the daughter of the president of the Pontiac Racing association. The crowd cheered and he was the recipient of the most cordial thanks from the father of the young lady whose life he probably saved.

Starting Judge W. F. Adams of Greenville is one of the most ardent admirers of the young man. When he announced one of the heats in the 2:16 trot Thursday he said: "The boy won the—I mean McKinley won the heat."

In explaining his announcement he said that he really meant that the boy won, as it was the boy and not the horse that won it. Some one said to Mr. Adams that if the boy kept on doing as well as he is doing now he would have all the old drivers beaten. "He has them all beaten now," the veteran starter replied.

"I met the boy's mother the other night," continued Mr. Adams, "and as I talked with her I knew why Johnny was such a fine and successful young man. It is because he has a great mother."

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A Pleasing Word Picture of East Aurora and the Roycrofters.

The following extracts from a letter written by Miss Mary Mason of Owosso, who is spending her vacation at Buffalo, will be appreciated by all "Philistine" readers:

"As you see from this heading, I have been to the great and wonderful shop where that quaint little Philistine is published. It is about a half hour's ride from here and such a quiet little country town, like your 'metropolis.' As we walked up the street we spied a quaint, church-like building of huge field stones, and in an adjoining lot was a man, hatless, blue woolen shirt, corduroy trousers and long, curly, dark hair, helping workmen plow. At once we recognized Elbert Hubbard, the man we came to see. He came up to us at once and with a pleasant smile and hearty hand shake, welcomed us to the Roycroft.

He took us into the little chapel we had first seen, and here we found the interior of the 13th century old English style—quaint, old-fashioned benches and carvings all hand-made and even the chandeliers were made by hand from bent iron. On the floors were rugs of rag carpet. Mammoth fireplaces added a charm to the dark, thickly curtained rooms. He took us through the art rooms, where over one hundred and fifty girls were engaged in hand illuminating pages of their world-famous books and booklets. Such a fine class of young ladies and all well dressed. One of their teachers there, a Mr. Sayles, a young man who has charge of civics there, went with us through the workshop and here we saw every detail of book making. All the stitching of leaves together is done by women. One woman there told me Mr. Hubbard is one of the kindest men living, and he is fairly worshiped by his fellows. He posed for me in such a quaint little waiting-room while I "scapped" him. Everywhere is mirth and laughter and merry smiles; such a place as I should always want to live in.

Across the street is the phalanstery, where he has a fine gymnasium, reading room and dining room. I took several interior views of these dear little rooms and hope they will print all right as it was a dark day. We stayed to supper and saw Fra Hubbard with his family. He introduced us to his wife and son Sanford. He has three boys and a dear little daughter Katherine of about four years.

All the rooms and furnishings are of "weathered oak" with rafter ceilings. We met his music director, a Frenchman with a name unpronounceable. All his sons wear their hair long and so did this music man. He conducted a children's class and as he peered over his tall, quaint desk at the children way below him, it reminded me of those old schoolmaster pictures of centuries ago. There are four large buildings, not including Fra Hubbard's house, the superintendent's house and where Mr. Sayles lives.

We had intended to return at six o'clock but a shower came up and Mr. Sayles asked us to be his guests at the phalanstery, which we delightedly did. He is a fine young man who has been with Mr. Hubbard about eight years, and he laughingly told me, "He's as good as a father to me."

After supper we retired to the reading room, where for half an hour or more Fra Hubbard told us of his life and work. He was born near Bloomington, Illinois, and, as he now is, a farmer. He has the finest face and beautiful brown eyes, which show a wonderful intellect. "Whatever made you Michigan people think of coming to East Aurora?" Mr. Sayles asked me. When I had told him he laughed and said, "Well, Fra Hubbard, we are something, after all."

Last year, during the Pan, it was nothing to have 400 and 500 visitors daily, they said. Do you know, I fancy I should like to work there for a time, as everything is done for their employees, who are mostly plain country girls and boys. "Some of them have had a history, but that's their business, and ours is to help their futures," Mr. Sayles said.

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Inflammation of the stomach, gastric catarrh or gastritis, as this unpleasant affliction is variously called, may, like most inflammatory diseases, be acute or chronic in its course. The symptoms of gastritis are more or less fever, weak pulse, loss of appetite, coated tongue, foul breath, bad taste in the mouth, head aches daily. There is sensation of weight or distress in the stomach. Gastritis is caused by some irritant acting on the mucous membrane of the stomach, the irritant is often formed in the stomach by the fermentation of indigestible food. Gastritis will never develop if you take regularly Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, the guaranteed cure for indigestion, constipation and all diseases arising from stomach troubles. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is an all the year round medicine. Good for the whole family from the smallest infant up. It is the best life insurance. Sold by Heber Walsh, 50c and \$1.00 bottles.

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COMMON COUNCIL.

Holland, Mich., Sept. 2, 1902.
The common council met in regular session and was called to order by the Mayor.

Present: Mayor De Roo, Alds. Van den Tak, Kleis, Van Zanten, Kole, Geerlings, Van Putten, Kramer, Riksen and Garvelink and the City Clerk.
The minutes of the last two meetings were read and approved.

R. H. Habermann and 21 others petitioned for an arc light at the corner of Maple and Ninth streets.

Referred to the committee on public lighting.

The committee on ways and means presented estimates of expenditures which will be required to be made from the several general and special sewer funds of the city during the present fiscal year and reported for introduction "An ordinance termed the annual appropriation bill of the city of Holland for the fiscal year commencing on the third Monday in March 1902."

The report was adopted and the ordinance was read a first and second time by its title, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order of the day.

The committee on streets and crosswalks reported recommending that the clerk be instructed to order Mr. Nieuwma to open an alley 38 1/2 feet west of Fairbanks avenue, along the line of Sixth street, said alley to be 33 feet wide, and that if Mr. Nieuwma does not open said alley, the city will condemn the necessary property.—Adopted.

The committee on streets and crosswalks reported the grading and graveling of South Central avenue ready for inspection.

Report accepted and inspection ordered for Thursday, Sept. 4, 1902, at 5 o'clock p. m.

The committee on poor reported presenting the semi-monthly report of the director of the poor and said committee, recommending for the support of the poor for the two weeks ending Sept. 16, 1902, the sum of \$23.00, and having rendered temporary aid to the amount of \$70.00.

Adopted and warrants ordered issued.

The committee on public lighting reported recommending that the petitions for arc lights on 7th street between Land street and Columbia avenue, on the corner of Seventeenth and Pine streets and on the corner of College avenue and Seventeenth street, be not granted.—Adopted.

The committee on licenses reported recommending that Phillips and Smith be granted pool table licenses, second floor, No. 10 West Eighth street, subject to ordinance, for the term of nine months.—Adopted.

The special committee on curblines reported recommending the reconsideration of curblines, and that curblines be established at six feet instead of eight feet outside the sidewalks line.

By Ald. Kleis, Resolved, that the report of the committee be adopted.

Said resolution did not prevail, by yeas and nays as follows: Yeas—Ald. Kleis, Van Zanten, Kole, Garvelink—4. Nays: Alds. Van den Tak, Geerlings, Van Putten, Kramer, Riksen—5.

The special committee on street sprinkling reported recommending that three street districts be established covering the present three sprinkling districts, that the amounts of expenditures of street sprinkling be charged thereto, and that the supervisors be instructed to levy said amounts upon the said street districts with the general taxes and upon all the property in such districts.

By Ald. Geerlings, Resolved, that the report of the special committee be adopted and recommendations ordered carried out.

Said resolution prevailed, all voting aye.

The street commissioner reported his doings for the month of August, 1902.—Filed.

The city surveyor reported for the month of August, 1902.—Filed.
Justice Van Duren reported the collection of \$50.00 penal fines and Justice Devries reported the collection of \$1 penal fines and receipts of the city treasurer for the amounts.

Accepted and the city treasurer ordered charged with the amounts.

The clerk reported that at a meeting of the board of public works held Sept. 2, 1902, the contract for the construction of sewers on Thirteenth street and on Tenth, River and Eleventh streets had been awarded to John B. Fik for \$4,565.71, the work to be completed within 90 days from Sept. 8, 1902.

Action of the board was approved and bonds of Mr. Fik fixed at \$3,000.

The clerk reported the collection of \$901.93 electric light rentals for the month of July, 1902, and the collection of \$400 water rentals and presented treasurer's receipts for the amounts.

Accepted and the city treasurer charged with the amounts.

The clerk reported the amount of delinquent assessments ordered by the common council March 1, 1902, to be reassessed with the general taxrolls as follows: H. J. Klomparsen, s + of lot 9, Van den Berg's Plat, \$3.85; G. A. Van Wieren, lot 33, Add. No. 1, \$7.65; A. Van Putten and K. Zuidewind, lots 16, 22 w + of lots 17 and 21, A. O. Van Raalte add. No. 2, \$32.98; A. E. (E. A.) Ferguson, e + lot 2 and e 50 feet lot 11,

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212-214 River Street.

\$10.77; P. H. McBride, n 26 feet of lot 1 block 38, \$2.90; E. Vander Veen, w 56 5/8 feet lot 5, block 37, \$9.35; owner unknown lots 1 and 8, block 6 \$1.78.
The clerk reported the following sidewalks constructed by the city and the amount of the expense thereof for special assessment:
F. P. Potter, lot 44 Bay View Add., \$17.64; Estate of Sarah Howard, n 26 feet of lot 11, block 29, \$6.10.
Referred to the board of assessors for special assessment.

The clerk reported the amounts of delinquent water and light bills to be assessed: Wm. Ter Avest, light, s 23 feet of n 62 feet of lots 18, block 38, \$12.23; G. M. Van Tubbergen, light, w 10 rods of lots 4 and n 18 feet of w 5 rods block 67, \$6.78; Dohila Flieman, water, s 36 feet of lot 6, block 27, \$2.20.
Referred to the board of assessors for special assessment.

By Ald. Van Putten, Resolved, that the board of assessors be instructed to make special assessment rolls for Thirteenth street and for Tenth, River and Eleventh street special sewer assessment district.—Carried.

By Ald. Geerlings, Resolved, that the clerk be instructed to advertise for bids for the grading of Seventeenth street and on College avenue, the grading of Seventeenth street west of River street to be completed within fourteen days and the grading of Seventeenth street east of River street to be completed within 30 days, and the grading of College avenue to be complete within six weeks.—Carried.

By Ald. Kramer, Resolved, that the matter of naming street running from River street to Black River bridge be referred to the committee on streets and crosswalks.—Carried.

By Ald. Geerlings, Resolved, that the matter of submitting the gas question to a vote of the people be referred to the committee on ways and means.—Carried.

By Ald. Geerlings, the council went into the committee of the whole on the general order.

Whereupon the Mayor called Ald. Garvelink to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee arose and through their chairman reported that they had had under consideration "An ordinance termed the annual appropriation bills of the city of Holland for the fiscal year commencing on the third Monday in March 1902," that they had made amendments thereto and recommended its passage.—Adopted.

The ordinance entitled "An ordinance termed the annual appropriation bill of the city of Holland for the fiscal year commencing on the third Monday

in March 1902" was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the aldermen elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows: Yeas—Ald. Van den Tak, Kleis, Van Zanten, Kole, Geerlings, Van Putten, Kramer, Riksen, Garvelink—9. Nays—0.
Adjourning till Thursday, Sept. 4, 1902, at 5 o'clock p. m.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Prices Paid to Farmers.
PRODUCE.
Butter, per lb. 18
Eggs, per doz. 17
Dried Apples, per bu. 5-5
Potatoes, per bu. 40
Beans, hand picked, per bu. 1-25
Onions, 65
Winter Apples—good 1.00

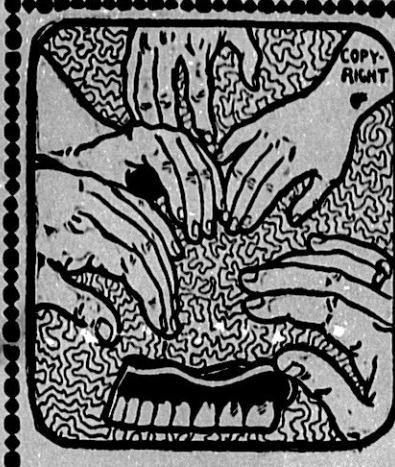
GRAIN.
Wheat, per bu. 65
Oats, per bu. 32
Rye, 42
Buckwheat per bu. 30
Corn, per bu. 50
Clover Seed, per bu. 1.00
Timothy seed, per bu. (to consumers) 2.75

BEEF, PORK, ETC.
Chickens, dressed, per lb. 10
Chickens, live, per lb. 7
Spring Chickens live 9
Turkeys live 8
Yellow, per lb. 6
Lard, per lb. 11
Beef, dressed, per lb. 5 1/2 to 6 1/2
Pork, dressed, per lb. 8
Mutton, dressed, per lb. 5
Veal, per lb. 7 to 8
Lamb 8

FLOUR AND FEED.
Price to consumers
Bley 9 to 10
Flour, "Sunlight," patent, per barrel 4 40
Flour, "Daisy," straight, per barrel 4 00
Ground Feed 1 3/4 per hundred, 25 50 per ton
Corn Meal, unbolled, 1 1/4 per hundred, 25 50 per ton.
Corn Meal, bolted 3 60 per barrel, middlings, 120 per hundred 22 00 per ton.
Bran 65 per hundred, 17 00 per ton
Linseed Meal \$1.00 per hundred.

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Prices paid by the Carpen & Bertsch Leather Co. No. 1 cured hide 10 1/2
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" Tallow 6 1/2
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF OTTAWA, ss.
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Thursday, the 28th day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred and two.
Present, Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Sue A. Martin, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Louisa M. Thurber, one of the executrices named in said will, praying for the probate of an instrument in writing filed in this Court purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Sue A. Martin, deceased, and that the administration of said estate may be granted to herself, Louisa M. Thurber, and Frances M. Kinnon, the executrices in said will named.
Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the 29th day of September, next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the hearing by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ottawa County Times, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.
(A true copy, Attest.)
FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk. 33-35



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Rate \$1.00. See posters, or ask agents
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LUDINGTON
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MANISTEE.**

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ON
SEPTEMBER 9, 1902.**

Ask agents, or see bills for full par-
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**GRAND RAPIDS,
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7.**

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OCTOBER, 1902.**

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of limit will be made to November 3rd
if desired, upon payment of 50 cents
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Any person who has the price of a ticket
may get one. 33-34

CORRESPONDENCE.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Rooks of Grand
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Peter Rooks and wife of Hull, N. Da-
kota, are spending a few days with par-
ents and friends.

M. Baron spent a few days in Chic-
ago.

Prof. A. J. Rooks of Grand Rapids
spent a day here and in Chicago in be-
half of the college.

A. Rooks, C. Vurink and D. Nies
spent Monday in Grand Rapids.

Dr. W. J. Rooks and J. Boeve spent
Thursday in Grand Rapids and took in
the races.

Rev. J. Brummel of Dakota is spend-
ing a few days here with his brother and
sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Herdis of Fellows
Station were here Sunday visiting his
parents.

Mrs. A. Warner of Grand Rapids
spent a few days here with Mrs. R.
Warner.

Jake Versing has returned from his
northern trip.

School has commenced again with
John Etterbeek as teacher for the
fourth term.

Not Doomed For Life.

"I was treated for three years by
good doctors," writes W. A. Greer,
McConnellsville, O., "for Piles, and
Fistula, but, when all failed, Bucklen's
Arnica Salve cured me in two weeks."
Cures Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Corns,
Sores, Eruptions, Salt Rheum, Piles or
no pay. 25 cents at Heber Walsh.

GITCHEL.

Miss Mary Ter Haar is home again
from her sister Lena Burgers of Hud-
sonville.

Harry Brower and Richard Klomp-
attended the meeting at Jamestown Cen-
ter last Sunday evening.

School has commenced this week.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs.
Herman Rummelt.

Miss Anna Van Duine visited Miss
Etta Ter Haar last week Friday.

Mrs. Peter Tedder and her two chil-
dren, of Grand Rapids, were the guests
of Mr. and Mrs. K. Klooster last week.

Fortune Favors A Texas.

"Having distressing pains in head,
back and stomach, and being without
appetite, I began to use Dr. King's New
Life Pills," writes W. P. Whitehead,
of Kennedale, Tex., "and soon felt like
a new man." Infalible in stomach and
liver troubles. Only 25 cents at Heber
Walsh.

VENTURA.

The winds are again singing the
songs of Autumn.

The regular monthly business meet-
ing of the Lake Side Epworth League
will be held Saturday evening, Sept. 6,
at the church. All members are cor-
dially invited to be present. Also all
others who may be interested in the
young people.

Chas. Owens, his wife and a lady
friend of Chicago, have been visiting
relatives and friends in the vicinity of
Port Sheldon.

Fred Jackson has the wall of his
house finished and will soon have the
frame up.

School Dist. No. 7, the Huff school,
has hired Mr. Ezra O. Wightman to
teach the school for the ensuing year.

Our pathmaster is styled a hustler,
and the result of his energy and good
management is a great improvement in
the roads.

The Epworth League has bestired it
self and secured a new organ for the
church. Many thanks to those who
have so royally helped. It was expected
that the pastor would make some com-
ment, but evidently his eyes and mind
were on something not so small as an
organ, for he was heard to say that he
didn't see it, but somehow or other he
thought the singing was unusually good.

When once liberated within your sys-
tem, it produces a most wonderful ef-
fect. It's worth one's last dollar to feel
the pleasure of life that comes by taking
Rocky Mountain Tea. Haan Bros.

OTTAWA STATION.

The New Era school opened Monday,
with Miss Dessie Priest of Allegan as
teacher.

James Fellows of Hudsonville, was
home on a visit Sunday.

Joseph P. Teskie of Grand Rapids,
was the guest of Eugene Fellows and
family Sunday.

J. T. Welton returned home last week
from Elgin, Ill., where he has been to
make his son Clide a visit.

It is getting as dry now as it was wet
a while ago.

The widow Laythrome's dwelling at
Allendale Center, occupied by Dr. Pres-
ley, was burned last Thursday morning.
Cause of fire, gasoline stove. The house
was insured but the doctor had no in-
surance and his loss is estimated at
\$700.

Dress does not make the person. Nor
does a clean exterior indicate a clean
interior. To be well all organs of the
body must work in harmony. Rocky
Mountain Tea does this work. Haan
Bros.

OAKLAND.

Bennie Lampen, who has been sick
with pneumonia, is convalescent.

Albert Lampen and friends of Hol-
land took a pleasure trip to Chicago
last week.

Prof. and Mrs. G. Masselink of Big
Rapids and Dr. Benj. Masselink of Kal-
amazoo have returned to their respec-
tive homes, after a few days stay with
parents and friends.

The wheat and oats crop is very
abundant this year. Benj. Boerman
threshed as much as 1,600 bushels in a
single day, together with one or two
moves. The past two weeks he aver-
aged almost 1,400 bushels per day.

Beautiful Pictures.

A fine line of the beautiful cosmo-
spheres. Just right for adorning a
room. For sale at

S. A. MARTIN'S.

IT COMES HIGH.

The board of health at a meeting a
few days ago passed upon the several
bills which resulted from the cases of
smallpox here some time ago. They
amounted to about \$1,500, but the board
cut it down almost \$400, so that the to-
tal was \$1,108.58 which will have to be
paid by the county. The bills are:

Leonard De Loof, watchman, 250
hours.....\$ 51 80
Peter Den Uyl, watchman, 208
hours.....41 60
John Slagh, watchman.....1 60
Ed. Boone, watchman, 112 hours 22 40
Jacob Oosterbaan, watchman, 20
hours.....4 00
Gerrit Van Haften, special po-
lice, 30 hours.....6 00
D. Overweg, watchman, 213 hrs. 42 60
Oscar De Groot, watchman, 114
hours.....22 80
Oscar De Groot, watchman, 137
hours.....27 40
Oscar De Groot, watchman, 163
hours.....32 00
John B. Van der Meulen, watch-
man, 227 hours.....45 40
Peter Den Uyl, watchman, 48
hours.....9 60
James Ver Holst, watchman, 119
hours.....23 80
John B. Van der Meulen, watch-
man, 248 hours.....49 70
Dr. A. Leenhouts, attending G.
Tubergen, 19 visits.....150 00
Dr. D. G. Cook, attending N.
Joukman, 27 visits.....270 00
Dr. A. Leenhouts, attending J.
Sass, 8 visits.....57 50
Dr. A. Leenhouts, attending Ca-
tharine Van Raalte, 8 visits.. 50 00
C. Hoffman, meals served G. M.
Tubergen, from June 8 to
June 28.....36 20
A. Ver Lee, milk furnished J.
Bruidschort.....1 00
Keppel's sons, wood.....2 25
Van Dreezer's restaurant, meals
served Tubergen.....2 80
John Kruijzinga, groceries, Wm.
Tubergen.....3 52
P. A. Kleis, groceries, Wm. Tu-
bergen.....4 48
John Sas, nursing G. M. Tuber-
gen, 21 days.....105 00
A. C. Rinck, bed and mattress,
Wm. Tubergen.....5 50
Heber Walsh, drugs, Wm. Tu-
bergen.....20
S. A. Martin, drugs.....21 25
Con De Free, drugs.....5 60
Van Anrooy & Sons, groceries.. 1 08
Van Anrooy & Sons, groceries.. 2 82
Boot & Kramer, groceries.....3 55
Visser's & Sons, groceries.....59
De Kraker & De Koster, meats. 4 56

Sam Lockart's Elephants.

A half hour's fun with the elephants
is one of the many interesting fea-
tures promised for the coming West Michi-
gan State Fair which is to be held at
Grand Rapids the last week of this
month.

There is in the herd Tom Tom the
Baby Elephant Cyclist who has ac-
quired the art and the Tom-Tom is no
scurrier, he can ride a wheel.

The performance will be given on a
stage near the grand stand every day
and there will be no charge for it.

The list of premiums is ready for dis-
tribution and can be had by writing to
Mr. C. A. French, Secretary, 87 Pearl
street, Grand Rapids, Mich. It is a
very handsome book—the premiums by
the way will be paid in cash promptly
at close of fair.

The West Michigan Fair is backed
by the leading merchants of Grand Ra-
pids and is fully capitalized for business.
The grounds are being arrayed in their
best and an old fashioned good time
is promised. It will be in fact, as well as
in name, "Michigan's Best Fair."

FARM FOR SALE.

A good 70-acre farm, house and barn,
orchard, good water, a mile and a half
from the Christian Reformed church,
from the Dutch Reformed church and
from the school. Located a mile east of
the Harlem railroad station. Will
also sell 50 acres of it. For particulars
enquire of **JOHN SLAGH, SR.,**
42 East Twelfth street, Holland. 34-38

Feed Mill For Sale.

A good feed mill, engine and boiler
for sale at a bargain. For particulars
enquire at City Mills, Holland. 29-31

Base Ball Goods.

If you are looking for base ball goods,
call in, I have the most complete line
of Spalding's base ball goods ever shown
in the city.

S. A. MARTIN,
North East cor. Eighth and River
streets.

Jas. A. Brouwer is going to give
away tickets to the fair next week.
Read his ad on 4th page and learn par-
ticulars.

Lemons at 15 Cents.

A large lot of lemons at 15 cents
a dozen at the Enterprise Grocery,
17 West Eighth street.

Notice to Fair Visitors.

Tables will be put up in the grove
on the fair grounds where visitors
can eat their lunches. Many at-
tractions have been secured and
visitors will find it a pleasant and
profitable visit. Low rates are of-
fered on the electric road from all
stations.

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VALUE OF A RECORD.

**To Succeed in Dairying You Must
Know the Character of Each Cow.**

It is clearly evident to every well
posted man in the business of dairying
that there is a large proportion of
farmers engaged in it who do not be-
lieve that they need to know more
than they now do in order to make
more money or to save the money they
have already made. There is an enor-
mous waste going on upon nearly ev-
ery dairy farm. This waste often rep-
resents hundreds of dollars annually,
but it is impossible to get the wasteful
farmer to see it because he will not
use the light that will help him see it,
says Hoard's Dairyman.

Take, for example, the refusal of so
many farmers to test their cows or to
keep a record of what they are doing.
We never knew a farmer who set about
to keep a milk and butter fat record
but what he confessed that the result
greatly surprised him. The effect of
such a trial for a year is always to
cause the farmer to change his ideas
about his cows. We have known such
a test to cause a complete change in
the character of the herd in five years.

Expressions like this would be made
by such men: "If I had any idea that I
was carrying along such a number of
worthless cows, I would have made
this test years ago."

A dairy farmer said to us once: "The
keeping of a record of my herd for a
year caused me to buy a registered
dairy bull at once, and I paid a good
long price for him too. That was eight
years ago, and I am making double the
money on my cows today that I was
then."

Now, that man carried along a lot of
worthless cows for years just because
he did not believe that it would bring
him any profit to know better. He
commenced to read what others were
doing in this matter. Reading set him
to thinking, thinking set him to acting
in the right direction, and that soon
closed up a big leak. Here is a fact
that shows how important it is to
know what the cows are doing:

The Minnesota experiment station
had two cows that they were experi-
menting with. Their names were
Shorty and Sweetbriar. The first year
their record was kept Shorty yielded
312 pounds of butter and Sweetbriar
270 pounds.

But a change took place, and for the
following six years the annual record
stands as follows: Shorty, 229 pounds
of butter; Sweetbriar, 405 pounds of
butter.

Had these two cows been handled
with the same ideas that most farmers
handle their cows the difference in
value and profit of the two would never
have been known.

Ask some men why they do not in-
stitute a system of keeping a record
of their cows, and their answers will
be, "Oh, it is too much work," or
"What's the use? I know all about
my cows now," or, as one man put it,
"Well, suppose I did make a test and
found I had a lot of poor cows. I
wouldn't want to sell them, because I
must have something to eat up my
fodder." These answers betray a
weakness of sound business judgment
that these men ought to get rid of. In
reality it takes but little time if the
farmer will arrange for it, and it is not
true that the owner knows "all
about his cows" unless he has tested
them. The last man's objection amount-
ed to saying that he had better feed
his fodder out at a loss than not feed
it at all. Most business men would
have said, "Keep your hay and grain
or sell them in the market rather than
feed at a loss."

In fact, all that is needed to start
the average farmer on this road are a
little American pluck and a resolution
to know all he can know about his
own business.

VALUABLE AD.

I have used a silo two years and con-
sider it a very profitable adjunct to
stock farming.

The foundation of my silo is of
stone, six feet deep, the floor being of
stone and cement. The staves are 2
by 6 and 24 feet long and are neither
tongued, grooved nor beveled.

In setting up the staves I plumbed
the first one to the barn, then used
lath to hold till half way around, then
put in top and bottom rod and then
the rest of the staves. I would ad-
vise painting on the outside and hot
coal tar on the inside.

I use from nine to twelve hoops of
three-eighths round iron drawn up on
6 by 6 pine posts. My roof is of cheap
slating.

The entire cost of labor and material
in constructing the above silo was
\$119.54. I have used it for two years
and see no evidences of decay. We
plant the common dent corn and be-
gin filling when the corn is well glazed.
I cut the corn in one-half inch lengths
and usually fill in three and a half
days, using nine men and three teams.
I use a blower, propelled by steam
power, and tramp the silage well with
two men. I have used no other ma-
terial for silage than corn and do not
cover the top of silage when filled.

I feed three-fourths of a bushel per
cow twice a day and have had no bad
results either from injuring stock of
tainting milk. I fed silage all last
summer with good results; feed it to
all kinds of stock successfully.

The size of this silo is 16 by 30 feet.
I put in a six foot wall to bring it
down on a level with the basement
barn. I flagged and then cemented
the sides and bottom with good, strong
cement.

I wish I had built my silo twenty
years ago.—R. J. Duncan, Winona,
Minn., in St. Paul Farmer.

**Silo and
ENSILAGE**

Illustration of a silo and a person feeding a cow.

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Cream Soda in the city. H. W. Kiek-
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A POUND'S A POUND.

**But a Pound of Feathers Is Heavier
Than a Pound of Lead.**

That old question about a pound of
feathers and a pound of lead takes on
new interest when we look at it in a
simple scientific way. It seems ab-
surd, of course, that a pound of one
thing could be heavier than a pound of
another thing, and yet that is exactly
what may be shown in this case; not
that the pound of lead is heavier than
the pound of feathers, as most persons
would say on the spur of the moment,
but just the other way—a pound of
feathers is heavier than a pound of
lead.

This apparently inconsistent state-
ment may be quite easily proved. With
accurate scales weigh a pound of lead,
using ordinary shot for convenience;
then with the same scales weigh a
pound of feathers, putting them into a
muslin bag for the purpose. The feath-
ers and the bag together must weigh
exactly a pound.

The next step in the operation will
show apparently that there is no dif-
ference whatever in the weight of the
two articles, for you put the shot in
one pan of a balance and the bag of
feathers in the other, and after a little
seesawing they will come to an exact
level.

Now, however, the scientific phase of
the question presents itself, and you
are reminded that in weighing the ar-
ticles thus in the open air you have
taken no account of the buoyant power
of the air, which bears everything up
in proportion to the object's bulk.
As the bag of feathers is of greater
bulk than the shot, it is borne up more
than the shot is, and for that reason
it is necessary to use a little more than
a pound of feathers to balance a pound
of lead.

This, however, is theoretical. The
practical proof is obtained when you
place the balance bearing the lead and
the feathers on the receiver of an air-
pump and cover them with the glass
bell. Then exhaust the air, and you
will find that the pan bearing the feath-
ers will sink and the pan bearing the
lead will rise, thus showing that when
weighed in the ordinary way the quan-
tity of feathers used to make a pound
is actually more than a pound.—New
York Press.

FINS OF THE FLYING FISH.

**They Are Used as Parachutes Rather
Than as Wings.**

Out from the warmer seas fly the
flying fish, the fish of which every one
has heard, which yet none can see for
the first time without a gasp of amaze-
ment, without a feeling as though be-
holding the miraculous, the fish which
has given rise to more untruthful sto-
ries than any other fish in all the seas.

Undoubtedly the flying fish has wings
like a bird; undoubtedly it flies, yet not
as a bird. It does not flap the wing-
like, pectoral fins on which it is up-
borne, nor, once launched in the air,
can it change its course by any move-
ment of its wings until it dips again
to the water. Yet it will pass a ship-
making ten knots in the hour and trav-
el in the air as far as 500 feet at a
time.

ASTOUNDING, indeed, is the sight of a
shoal of flying fish taking to the air,
skimming far over the surface when
the sea is calm, leaping high over
great waves when gales blow. Fish
seem ludicrously out of their element
in the air, but that fish should fly is
not really more wonderful than that
some animals and birds, like the otter
or the penguin, dive and swim to per-
fection.

The flying fish's fins are really para-
chutes to support and steady its body
rather than wings to propel it. The
lobe of the tail gives propulsion to the
body as it leaves the water. A flying
fish measures about a foot in length,
and its long, transparent pectoral fins
reach almost to the tail; but, though
very large when expanded, they can
be folded up very neatly. Its flight is
short and intermittent, and it must
needs continually dip into the sea to
give itself a fresh start.—Pearson's.

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A Communication.

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H. TAKKEN,

99 East Eighth street, Holland. 28-1f

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Another ridiculous food fad has been branded by the most competent authorities. They have dispelled the silly notion that one kind of food is needed for brain, another for muscles, and still another for bones. A correct diet will not only nourish a particular part of the body, but it will sustain every other part. Yet, however good your food may be, its nutriment is destroyed by indigestion or dyspepsia. You must prepare for their appearance or prevent their coming by taking regular doses of Green's August Flower, the favorite medicine of the healthy millions. A few doses aids digestion, stimulates the liver to healthy action, purifies the blood, and makes you feel buoyant and vigorous. You can get Dr. G. G. Green's reliable remedies at Heber Walsh's drug store, Holland, Mich. Get Green's Special Almanac.

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PERE MARQUETTE

JUNE 22, 1902.

Trains leave Holland as follows:

For Chicago and West—
3:40 a. m. 4:12 a. m. 8:05 a. m. 12:42 p. m. 5:35 p. m.

For Grand Rapids and North—
5:25 a. m. 8:05 a. m. 12:42 p. m. 5:35 p. m.

*12:30 p. m. 4:22 p. m. 9:55 p. m. 11:50 p. m.

For Saginaw and Detroit—
5:25 a. m. 4:22 p. m.

For Muskegon—
5:35 a. m. 12:42 p. m. 5:35 p. m. 10:00 p. m.

For Allegan—10:10 a. m. 7:25 p. m.

Freight leaves from East Y at 8:03 a. m.

For Ottawa Beach—12:45 p. m. 7:25 p. m.

*Daily. H. F. MOELLER, Gen. Pass. Agt.
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Grand Rapids, Holland & Lake Michigan

RAPID RAILWAY.

Cars leave waiting-room at Holland for Grand Rapids and intermediate points, as follows:

R. M.	P. M.
5 15 7 37 9 37	12 37 4 37 8 37
6 37 8 37 10 37	1 37 5 37 9 37
11 37	2 37 6 37 10 37
	3 37 7 37

Cars leave Grand Rapids from Lyon Street:

R. M.	P. M.
6 00 8 00 10 00	1 00 5 00 9 00
7 00 9 00 11 00	2 00 6 00 10 00
12 00	3 00 7 00 11 00
	4 00 8 00

Live Holland for Macatawa Park and Saugatuck

R. M.	P. M.
*6 30 8 20 10 20	12 20 4 20 8 20
7 20 9 20 11 20	1 20 5 20 9 20
	2 20 6 20 10 20
*To Park only.	3 20 7 20

Leave Saugatuck for Holland, as follows:

R. M.	P. M.
6 00 8 00 10 00	12 00 4 00 8 00
7 00 9 00 11 00	1 00 5 00 9 00
	2 00 6 00 10 00
	3 00 7 00 11 00

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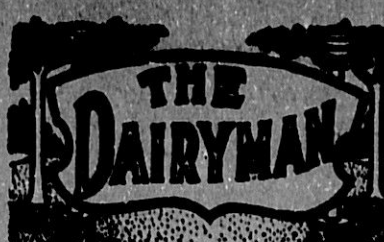
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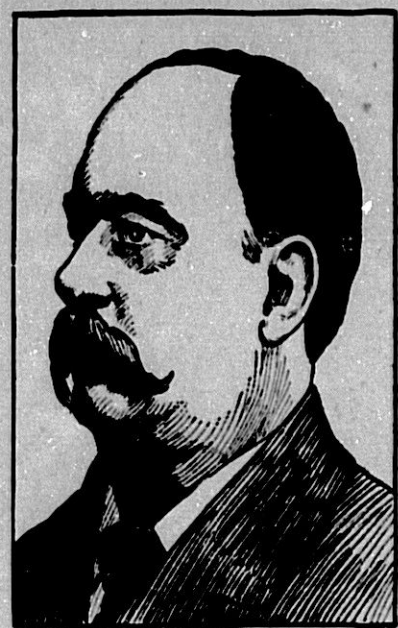
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It is now asserted that the new law in regard to artificially colored oleomargarine is likely to increase the sale of it instead of decreasing it, as was intended. The manufacturers do not intend to violate the law, or say they do not, but they will decrease the amount of oleo and of neutral lard used in it and increase the amount of cottonseed oil, which has a decided yellow tinge, and then, instead of using any common milk or cream to churn with it, as has been the custom, they will make an attempt to get enough Jersey or Guernsey milk or cream to use for that purpose, which will impart a more yellow color. This could not be classed as artificial coloring, as the amounts of these two materials—cottonseed oil and cream or milk mixed with the oleo oil—are not definitely stated in their patents and may be changed at the pleasure of the manufacturers. And there is also a reaction among the poorer classes of butter users, who are objecting to the present high prices and who would be willing to buy uncolored butter if the price was enough lower than that of artificially colored butter to encourage them to do so.—American Agriculturist.

Inspector Collyer.

William D. Collyer, who has been appointed to the new federal office in Chicago, Inspector of dairy exports and renovated butter factories and mar-



WILLIAM D. COLLYER.

kets, is one of the best butter experts in the country and has for years been identified with the produce business, particularly with the development of butter making. The Chicago Daily Tribune in a recent editorial said: "Mr. Collyer is well known in the trade as a man of honor and integrity, in whom all have confidence, and his long experience has given him the knowledge that years ago placed him among the first of the judges of butter in this country. The office of inspector could not be better filled than it will be while Mr. Collyer has it." Mr. Collyer is a Chicago man, born and bred. He lives at Ravenswood.

The Home Separator Method.

Creamery companies which refuse to accept cream from farmers who own home separators are not friends to the best interests of the farmers and not wise in their own best interests, because the home separator method is the rational method and is bound to displace the old method of creamery separation, no matter who opposes it.—Northwestern Agriculturist.

Trouble in Belgium.

A manufacturer of artificial butter resembling the natural product was recently prosecuted in Brussels for selling it under another name than margarine. The court decided that the product could not be assimilated with margarine and acquitted the manufacturer. As dealers in natural butter consider that their trade will thereby suffer they have petitioned the minister of agriculture that the law of May 4, 1900, be amended to read as follows: "Article 2. All natural fat other than butter of whatever origin, animal or vegetable, having undergone for the purpose of sale a mixture in any way whatever with any other fat, natural or artificial, and presenting one or more exterior characteristics of butter, such as appearance, consistency, color, smell, taste or degree of firmness, is designated under the name of margarine."

The petition also requests that several modifications be made in packing, in the labels or signs of margarine dealers and in the placing of margarine near natural butter during transportation.

Ration For the Dairy Cow.

The following rations are suggested by Professor H. J. Waters of the Missouri Agricultural college: Corn and cob meal, six pounds; wheat meal, five pounds; gluten or cottonseed meal, two and a half pounds; cowpea, alfalfa or clover hay, six pounds. Another ration is eight to twelve pounds of corn and cob meal, with all the alfalfa or cowpea hay the cows will eat. The third ration is eight pounds of corn and cob meal or seven pounds of cornmeal, four pounds of cottonseed or gluten meal. To all the above rations add as much straw, corn fodder or sorghum hay as the cows will eat. It must be remembered that these amounts are simply suggestive. Some cows will require much larger quantities, while others will not utilize these amounts profitably. The period of lactation will have much to do with it. Toward the end of the milking period the flow begins to decrease, and it may be advisable to reduce the allowance somewhat.

MAKING PRIME CHEESE.

How to Proceed to Secure the Qualities Which Determine Value.

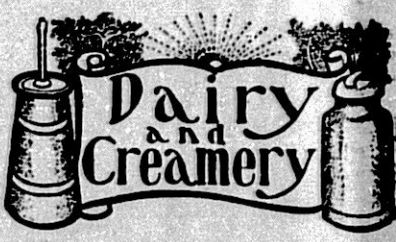
Flavor and body are the two qualities which determine the relative market price of cheese, and the character of these qualities is largely determined by the process of curing, says Dairy Commissioner J. W. Robertson. A fairly steady temperature, not over 60 degrees, in the curing room gives best results. At that temperature loss in weight by shrinkage of cheese is considerably less than at higher points. A dry atmosphere causes cheese to lose in weight by evaporation, and it may also cause small cracks on the surface, especially when cheeses are new. Too high a temperature in the curing rooms of many cheese factories causes many of the faults which are complained of, if the temperature rises to 70 degrees or higher, buyers complain of a heated flavor or reject it altogether as being "off flavored."

An old curing room of the ordinary open construction may be improved materially and beneficially by thoroughly cleansing the whole inside by a liberal use of boiling water, to ten pounds of which one pound of carbolic acid should be added. The place should then be whitewashed with fresh slaked lime. To make the old floor close it will be necessary to put two thicknesses of building paper over it and a new floor closely laid on the top of the paper. If the inside walls of the old curing room be of lumber or plaster, two thicknesses of building paper may be put on and over them one thickness of matched lumber dressed on at least one side. The ceiling should be made close in a similar way. The windows should be made close, and double doors and windows should be put on for use in summer, as well as during the late autumn and winter.

In a curing room 30 by 28 feet these improvements would cost \$125 to \$200 for material and labor, according to condition of room, price of lumber, cost of labor, etc., in the locality. At a factory turning out about 300 large cheeses per month such a curing room might be so used as to avoid some of the shrinkage in weight which would occur in an ordinary curing room where the thermometer fluctuated between 70 and 90 degrees. The saving might be one pound per cheese. The injury to the flavor and body of the cheese from overheating might in a great measure also be prevented. The extra value which might be realized out of the cheese from diminished shrinkage and superior quality would in a factory of the size mentioned probably be not less than 450 during the season. Above all else great and lasting benefit would result to the cheese trade if all cheeses were cured in a proper manner. The export demand would be increased and risk of loss decreased.

"Blue Milk."

What is known as "blue milk" may be epidemic in a herd or confined to a single cow. It is probably from some unknown source of filth and may be checked by attention to cleanliness and careful washing of the cow's teats with a little weak acetic acid solution. Such milk has been fed to animals that ate it readily and without harm.



Let no one be worried over the newspaper statement that the oleo men will sell the pale product and with it give a capsule containing just enough coloring material to color it to a beautiful yellow butter color. By the time Bridget has mixed the color into the oleo once or twice there will be an end to that kind of work. Those who have seen country butter which the makers attempted to color after it was made and remember the dismal streaks and variegated hues will have no fears of that method as a family practice.

Much more threatening is the undercurrent working to cause the abandoning of all butter color in butter itself, depending upon the natural color of the butter to recommend it to the public. There is little, if anything, to be said against that for the present make, but when cows are on dry feed the butter lacks the well known and distinctive butter color. Winter butter must be colored. The patron demands it. He asks for a uniform color the year around, and it is the only way to protect it from the fraudulent competition of oleo. Yellow is a color to which butter has a natural and inalienable right. Let none of the friends of pure butter be deluded by the outcry raised in some quarters against the securing of a uniform color the year around and that color the natural color of June butter. There are millions in this color question, and we are in no shape to lose millions by any tomfoolery. A mighty victory has been achieved. Now let us all stand by our colors and reap the permanent fruits of that victory.—Creamery Journal.

Creameries Promote Prosperity.

The creamery is scarcely equalled as a promoter of prosperity in agricultural districts. The benefits of the creamery have been heralded abroad in many ways. Steele county, Minn., is now getting a bit of free advertising. The First National bank of Owatonna has had a new draft prepared bearing a four leaf clover with Owatonna in the center and showing the creameries of the county in their respective distances from that point. There are now twenty-two creameries in Steele county, and their combined output for 1901 was over 3,000,000 pounds.

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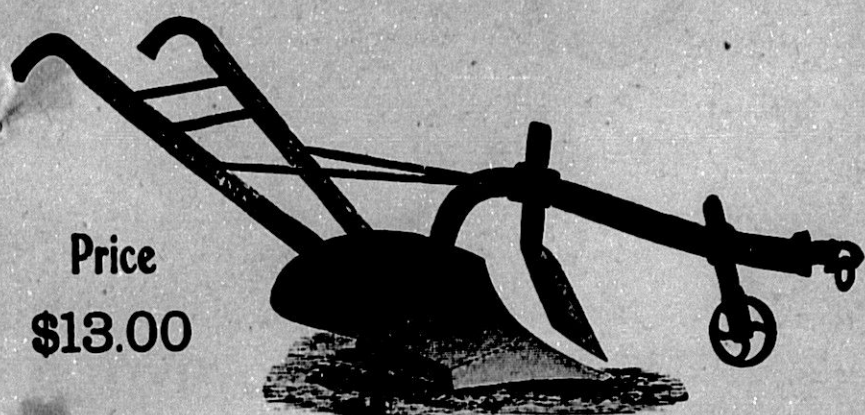
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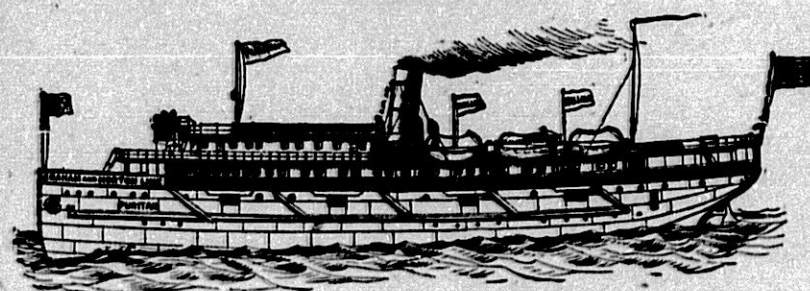
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OVATION TO MITCHELL

Leader of the Coal Workers Heads the Labor Day Parade at Philadelphia.

FORTY THOUSAND ATTEND A PIONEER

Mine Workers' President Wants to See All Workers United in the Labor Struggle.

Philadelphia, Sept. 2.—The organized workmen of Philadelphia yesterday paid their tribute to John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, and at the same time showed their sympathy in a substantial way for the striking anthracite mine workers of Pennsylvania. The presence of the miners' chief was made the occasion of probably the greatest demonstration that organized labor has ever held on "Labor Day." In the forenoon a parade was held under the auspices of the Central Labor union, in which nearly all the trades of the city were represented. It is estimated that more than 40,000 men were in line.

Mitchell rode at the head of the procession, and his reception along the route of the parade was enthusiastic. Twelve miners dressed in their greasy overalls and blouses acted as an escort. After the parade a big picnic was held in Washington park, on the New Jersey side of the Delaware river, a few miles below this city. There were probably 40,000 persons in attendance. Here Mitchell made two addresses. His principal speech was made in the grove, where between 4,000 and 5,000 listened and cheered the strikers' leader.

What He Said of the Strike.
Mitchell's first speech was devoted to the strike situation and in the course of it he said: "The struggle was not started until we had exhausted every conceivable conciliatory method known to mankind. The struggle would not have been continued—would not have been inaugurated—if the operators had agreed to mediation, conciliation or arbitration. To all our overtures they turned a deaf ear and the issue is now that we must win or we must be crushed. To win this struggle will require the assistance of our fellow workers and all generous citizens of our country. It is more pleasant to give than to receive."

Has Changed His Views.
"I am free to say that my own views have been somewhat changed since this strike started. Nearly all well informed workers know that I had identified myself with every peace movement that I thought would help the workers. I am not prepared to say that they are failures; but they are failures as long as employers will not listen to reason and to truth." He closed with declaring that he was for the inclusion in unions of all men who earn their bread by the sweat of their brows, and said: "I look forward to the time when the workers of our country will take possession of their own country."

GREATEST OF LABOR DAYS

Everywhere the Crowds and Parades Are the Biggest on Record.

Chicago, Sept. 2.—Labor Day everywhere, as well as here was the greatest of Labor days on record in the number and enthusiasm of those who marched, those who looked on and those out at the picnics. Some of the places where the turn-out was extraordinary are Easton, Harrisburg, Scranton and Wilkesbarre, Pa.; Cleveland, O.; Kansas City, Mo.; Denver, Colo.; New York city (where 40,000 marched), Omaha, St. Louis, St. Paul, Louisville, Ky.; Birmingham, Ala.; New Orleans (where Gompers was the chief speaker); Detroit, Memphis, Knoxville and Chattanooga, Tenn.; Milwaukee, Cincinnati, San Francisco, Boston—in fact, all over the country, including the capital city.

Towns celebrated that had not done so for years—Portland, Ore., among them. E. V. Debs spoke at Davenport, Ia. At Toledo, O., the members of the unionists' union, forming the various bands in the parade went on a strike as the parade was ready to move. The maulers' union came into the line with a band from Waterville, a small village near here, at its head. As soon as the members of the Musicians' union saw this they gave a signal and every piece of music in the parade, except the Waterville band, walked out.

During his speech to the labor unions here Senator Mason said: "The government is organized to protect the weak against the strong. If a man be guilty of the foulest murder he is guaranteed * * * to have his case heard by a jury of his peers before he is punished for that crime, and I can see no good reason why a man who commits a crime by reason of unhappy circumstances arising out of labor trouble should not have an equal opportunity for trial by jury."

Representative Boutell said that labor was entitled to sufficient with which to live, support and educate a family and to save up a fund on which to retire in old age to peace and ease.

APPEAL TO ROOSEVELT

Public Alliance of Wilkesbarre Sends Letter to President.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 1.—The Public alliance of this city, representing business men of the vicinity, has appealed to President Roosevelt to aid them in obtaining a settlement of the strike. They have already appealed to Senators Quay and Penrose. The petition follows:

"Since the inception of the barbarous and senseless struggle in the anthracite coal region we, the non-combatants who stand upon neutral ground, have suffered the inevitable fate of such unfortunate. The tide of battle ebbs and flows over and about us. We have endured patiently. We have petitioned humbly. We had hoped for much upon J. P. Morgan's return. But now, after a struggle of four months' duration, a period of suffering and progressive business pa-

ralysis, when it seemed to us that the time was propitious for a settlement of some kind, if not as a matter of concession to public opinion yet as a plain business proposition, Mr. Morgan has met with his henchmen and the edict has gone forth: 'There will be no settlement, no arbitration, no conciliation, no mediation, no concessions. The fight must go on.'

"Mr. Morgan has placed a ban upon us which means universal ruin, destitution, riot and bloodshed. Is J. P. Morgan greater than the people? Is he mightier than the government? Will he be permitted to retain this menacing power? It is time that the people should speak. It is time that their voices should be heard. Representing the interests and sentiment of nine-tenths of our people we appeal to you to use your influence to stay the judgment which crushes us. Encouraged by your recent utterances, relying upon your judgment and patriotism, confident of your moral courage, we appeal from the king of the trusts to the president of the people."

"THE PUBLIC ALLIANCE,"
"T. F. Hart, Chairman."

GETS BUSY RIGHT AWAY

Higginson Doesn't Waste Time Attacking the Land Forces in War Game Now Going On.

Newport, R. I., Sept. 2.—Admiral Higginson did not long delay after the declaration of hostilities yesterday to cut out work for the jacksies and marines of his fleet, accomplishing nothing in daylight, but under cover of fog doing two things that General MacArthur's army had anticipated. These were the seizure of Martha's Vineyard and Block Island and the capture of the army's signal station at each place. Last night he followed up his good work by a demonstration in force against the extreme western end of the line of defending fortifications.

But it cannot be determined until later if he actually attempted to force his way into Long Island sound or simply aimed to give his crews a little big gun practice, and his captains the opportunity to maneuver within striking distance to determine the location and caliber of the ordnance in the forts.

Maimed by a Big Firecracker.

Chicago, Sept. 2.—While firing a dynamite firecracker at a picnic in Hoyt's grove, Belmont and Western avenues, Albert Luetke, 293 East North avenue, last night was seriously injured. He was trying to light the fuse with his cigar, and after several failures the firecracker exploded while Luetke was holding it. Three fingers of his right hand and two of his left were blown off. He was taken to Alexian Brothers' hospital, where it was said there was danger of lockjaw. Luetke is 44 years old.

Four Trainmen Killed in a Wreck.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 2.—An east-bound Rock Island cattle train and an engine and caboose collided head-on near Birmingham, Mo., ten miles east of Kansas City, killing four trainmen, injuring three others. The dead: James Speyer, engineer, Trenton, Mo.; Thomas Griddith, engineer, Trenton, Mo.; Clarence Mahardt, fireman, Trenton, Mo.; C. W. Ballinger, fireman, Trenton, Mo.; injured: R. O. Bilson, severe; Bilson, conductor, brother of above; serious: Dudley, conductor, serious.

Elgin Creamery Property.

Chicago, Aug. 20.—Appraisers recently appointed in the case of the Elgin Creamery company presented a report to the United States district court in which they fixed a value of \$188,639 on the property of the concern, which is alleged to be bankrupt. This does not cover the stock of the company, but includes the land, buildings, machinery of 138 dairies in three states. The value of the property in Illinois was fixed at \$43,430, in Wisconsin at \$88,701, and in Iowa at \$56,508.

Nebraska Bank Closed.

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 1.—The state banking board has taken charge of the Chamberlain Banking house at Tecumseh and closed its doors. The bank is the oldest in Johnson county, and its suspension caused the greatest surprise. The deposits are placed at \$102,000, but there is practically no cash on hand. Charles M. Chamberlain, the cashier, left last Monday for the east, taking, it is alleged a grip full of securities with which to raise money for the bank.

Three Engines in a Wreck.

Peru, Ind., Sept. 2.—Three engines and two freight cars demolished is the result of a most remarkable wreck on the Wabash railroad that occurred in a dense fog three miles east of Peru at 5:20 in the morning. An eastbound passenger train, drawn by two engines, collided with a through freight, both going at a high speed. The six engine-men escaped without a scratch by jumping. One engine turned over into the ditch and the other two locked together.

Postmasters' Association.

Milwaukee, Aug. 29.—Boston has been selected as the next place of meeting of the National Postmasters' association convention. The bulk of discussion during the forenoon was confined to the rural free delivery service.

R. Dickerson, of Detroit, was again elected president of the association, making the fifth successive term as the head of the association since its inception.

Wife Murderer Sentenced.

Shell Lake, Wis., Aug. 29.—George Wolf, wife-murderer, of Chippewa Falls, was brought here and on a plea of guilty of murder in the first degree has been sentenced by Judge Vinje to imprisonment at Waupun for life. He arose in court and told the story of the murder, detailing how he dug his wife's grave in a lonely spot before he killed her. He said jealousy drove him to the crime.

Savable Wins \$45,400.

New York, Sept. 1.—Savable won the Futurity at Sheephead Bay; Lord of the Vale, second; Dazzling third. Savable's share of the winnings was \$45,400; Lord of the Vale, \$5,250, and Dazzling, \$2,750.

Virchow Near His End.

Berlin, Aug. 29.—Professor Virchow, the famous scientist, appears to be near his end. The German Medical Weekly regrets to announce that his strength is unmistakably failing.

WATER IN BUTTER.

How to Proceed to Prevent Too High a Percentage.

Mr. L. S. Hardin in Louisville Farm and Home says:

The papers are very busy just now discussing the question of how much water—that is, what per cent of water—should be allowed in good butter. The English market is somewhat stirred up over the matter on account of its variation in the different makes coming from other countries. The American makers who ship to England must, of course, cater to the requirements of the English market; but, as water, when used in excess, is an adulterant, adding nothing but weight to the butter, it should not be allowed beyond an agreed amount.

When butter is poorly made and spongy in character, it holds all the water its maker chooses to leave in it; but, as water causes rapid decay, it is seen how necessary is thorough working when it has to stand long shipment or storage. Such butter to keep well must be made dry and solid.

Some of the experiment stations have made tests as to the manner of making dry and wet butter, varying the size of the granule in the churn when the work stops from the size of clover seed to the size of corn grains, and find a difference in water retained of about 2 per cent, the larger the grain the more water retained. When, for instance, the old fashioned method of churning is followed and the butter is gathered in the churn, the greatest amount of water is taken up and must be expelled by working it out.

This work not only imposes an extra amount of careful labor, but greatly impairs the grain of the butter from overworking, rendering it more or less oily and injuring it in every way.

It will be seen from the reported experiments above that the proper way to prevent too high a per cent of water is to stop the churn when the granules are the size of or smaller than clover seed, and then wash the buttermilk out with water cooled to 60 degrees. Put it through two or three washings, the last being a stiff brine, which will salt the butter sufficiently for the highest class butter, though more salt can be added on the working table, where the extra water left in the butter should be pressed out with great care in order to preserve the fine grain so necessary to a high character article.

No official per cent of water in butter has yet been announced, but the tendency both in this country and in England is a preference of about 12 per cent for fine goods and to make the law prohibitory of over 16 per cent. It takes considerable skill to determine the exact per cent of water in butter, but as there is no danger of leaving too little in, to be on the safe side, work out all you can without injuring the grain. The old style firkin butter, made in June and marketed in December, was made as hard and dry as a bone, but was too firm and hard to spread on bread until warmed nearly to the melting point. The cooks delight in such butter, but it is no favorite on the table.



The question of securing a good practical milking machine is engaging the attention of the agricultural department. Major Alvord, the chief of the dairy division, states that the labor required to milk the cows of the United States is represented by the work of about 35,000 men working ten hours a day the year round. He says that there are no effective milking machines in operation in this country, though he knows of a few in Iowa which milk one cow at a time. His division is now arranging to make a test of a Scotch machine which will milk six or eight cows at a time. The operation of this milker is said to be superior in several respects to hand milking. The action on the cow's teats is the nearest possible to the sucking of the calf, the motion having a pulsating effect. The operation is performed by means of a pump attached to the milker which sucks the milk from the cow's udder in a very natural manner. One man attends the apparatus to six or eight cows and then sets the pump in operation, which requires about one-half horsepower to run. By this means six cows, it is claimed, can be milked in about twelve minutes.

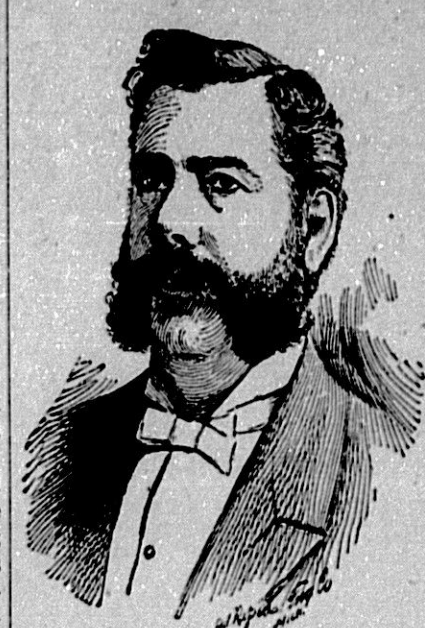
The department proposes to make a test on some good herd of milkers, possibly the herd at St. Elizabeth's Insane asylum near Washington, selecting twelve uniform milk cows, and on six of them using the milking machine for a period of weeks while the other six are milked in the usual way. This will give some idea of the practical value of the machine. It is a well known fact that where cows are milked rapidly and with the least mental irritation on their part their milk production is the highest.—Indiana Farmer.

For the Self Sucking Cow.

The party who wrote concerning his self sucking cow should try the device which is being used on both cows and calves here, says the Michigan Farmer. It consists of a piece of wire about eight inches long, with both ends sharpened to a needle point. This is put through the nose the same as a bull ring, bending the points down a little and leaving plenty of loop in the nose so that it will work freely. A cow can suck herself only when lying down, and if this device is put in properly it will prick the udder whenever she attempts to practice the habit. It may require a little experimenting to get the points shaped just right, but it has been used quite successfully here.

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LOCALISMS.

Rev. H. Uiterwyk of New York, will preach at Hope church next Sunday.

The double daily boat service to Chicago will continue till Sept. 15.

Senator W. D. Kelley of Muskegon, has been re-nominated by the Republicans of Ottawa and Muskegon counties.

R. A. Marsh, the ice dealer, had one of his legs badly bruised Saturday by having a large cake of ice fall on it.

Prof. J. T. Bergen left Monday on a visit to Oklahoma for two weeks' work among the Indians.

All the factories and many of the business places were closed on Labor Day.

William Deur has rented a large farm of Mr. De Witt, southeast of the city and will occupy it next spring.

Rev. H. Hospers of Iowa, has declined a second call to the Bethany Reformed church at Grand Rapids.

Rev. J. Ossewaarde of New Era, has been called to the Reformed church at Spring Lake.

Rev. Dr. J. W. Beardslee will preach at Alto and Waupun, Wis., next Sunday.

John Robertson, formerly of Allendale, this county, was killed in a railroad wreck near Fairchild, Wis., Saturday. He was a fireman.

The Band of Benevolent Workers of the First Reformed church met Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Nellie Van Lente.

Rev. Jas. F. Zwemer conducted the English services in the Ninth street Christian Reformed church Sunday evening.

Rev. Wehrheim, who conducted services in the German church, expects to conduct a school in German as soon as he locates here.

Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Cook have taken rooms at the spacious residence of C. C. Wheeler, Columbia avenue. Chas. H. McBride and family will occupy the residence vacated by the doctor.

A sufferer from hay fever says that a simple relief can be found by using bellotrope perfume. Pour some on a handkerchief and inhale freely through the nostrils.

The Knights of Pythias have moved their lodge rooms to the Vischer block.

Grand Haven's school census is about 1,800.

The gas question will be voted upon this fall in this city.

Dr. McDonald, the specialist will be at Hotel Holland next Friday, Sept. 12. Read ad.

Dr. John Alexander Dowie of Chicago was here Tuesday on his way home from Montague.

Sheriff Dykhuys arrested Mort Mathews at Hudsonville yesterday for being disorderly.

Major Scranton Circle, ladies of the G. A. R., will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Irene Reeve, 365 College avenue.

Rev. John Alexander Dowie of Chicago, has been having agents circulating literature here for several days in the interests of his Christian Catholic church at Zion.

The West Michigan band and the Waukazoo Colored orchestra gave a band concert at Virginia Park on Sunday afternoon for the entertainment of the members of the North American Union.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woodruff, West Fifteenth street, died Sunday of cholera infantum. The funeral took place Tuesday from the home of H. Woodruff, West Fourteenth street, Rev. Adam Clarke officiating.

Contractor Bartlett is pushing the sewer work on Twelfth street as fast as possible, several carloads of pipes, for which he was waiting, having arrived a few days ago. Some trouble with water has been experienced.

If you wish to hunt deer this fall you can get your license now at the county clerk's office. There is a movement on foot to charter the steamer Joe, Capt. L. B. Upham in command, and take a party of hunters to the upper peninsula.

Novices in sailing boats came near drowning on Macatawa Bay Sunday. Two sailboats capsized near Jenison Park through the inexperience of the occupants. The accidents were witnessed and the would-be sailors were rescued.

Dr. H. J. Poppen of Forest Grove, has been seriously ill with inflammation of the bowels but is now improving. Dr. T. G. Huizinga of Zeeland is attending him. Dr. Poppen has a large practice in his territory.

The creamery at Forest Grove was damaged by fire on Tuesday, the fire evidently starting from a spark from the smokestack. The damage to the building and to stored cream will probably be about \$75.

Holland by defeating Greenville yesterday is entitled to the championship of the state in a base ball way. She defeated the Greenville team easily by the score of 9 to 3. Ball and Buckner were the opposing pitchers.—Grand Haven Tribune.

The corner stone of the new English Christian Reformed church on Fourteenth street was laid Monday with appropriate ceremonies. Revs. Van Hoogen, Drukker, Van Vessem, Dr. H. E. Dosker, E. S. Holkeboer, and A. C. Rinck, took part in the exercises.

Du Mez Bros.' new stock of dress goods has arrived. They have an immense assortment of up-to-date and popular shades and weaves, including the new coarse woven fabrics, called etimine and zibeline, which are both stylish and serviceable. Read their ad on last page.

Deputy Oil Inspector Oakes of Grand Haven was here a few days ago to inspect a lot of oil shipped to a local dealer. He stated that oil under 120 test could not be legally sold in this state but that all the oil he has yet inspected here ran from 123 to 127. He says that explosions of oil occur through mixing with gasoline or other ingredients and carelessness in handling.

William Kamperman and Miss Dora Klumper were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents at East Holland on Wednesday. The wedding was a quiet affair, only relatives being present. The groom is one of Zeeland's hustling young men and fills a position as clerk with E. Boone & Co. The young couple will make their home here. Congratulations.—Zeeland Record.

Col. Thomas Savidge went to Grand Rapids yesterday to see McKinley win the 2:16 trot. Mr. Savidge can not be blamed for feeling just the least bit proud of McKinley, for he is the son of Mr. Savidge's great St. Clair, which horse was undoubtedly the greatest animal owned in Michigan and whose sons and daughters are giving evidence of the blood that is in them on race tracks this year.—Gr. Haven Tribune.

John B. Fik has been awarded the contract for constructing the sewers on Tenth street between Columbia avenue and Pine street, on Thirteenth street between Columbia avenue and Pine street, on Eleventh street between River and Pine streets, and on River street between Tenth and Twelfth streets. Mr. Fik's bid was \$4,565.71.

The others were J. B. Van Oort \$4,847.45, Harry Van der Veen \$4,920, C. P. Bartlett \$4,949.91, and Peter Van Ess \$4,864.59. The work must be done within 90 days from September 8.

A break in the trolley wire considerably delayed the cars between the city and the resorts Sunday evening.

The boat excursions given by the West Michigan band closed for the season last night.

The play "Thelma" was given at the opera house Tuesday evening and proved highly satisfactory.

The manufacture of pneumatic horse collars has been started by the company organized in the spring.

The population at the resorts is fast lessening and the hotels will close in a few days.

Do you want to buy a farm? Read notice of a 70-acre farm of John Slagh which is offered for sale.

Good dental work can now be secured at very reasonable prices. Read ad of Devries, the dentist, 36 East Eighth street.

The fire which got started in the marsh near East Nineteenth street, has kept smoldering for days and proves very difficult to put out.

The public schools opened Tuesday with a larger attendance than ever before, and everything is moving along smoothly under the care of Supt. F. D. Haddock.

A severe storm raged on Lake Michigan Wednesday night and yesterday. The steamer Puritan did not leave at her usual time Wednesday night and the Milwaukee line boat also waited.

The citizens of Zeeland have selected a site for their electric light and water plant on Main street, where the post-office is situated. It has 75 feet frontage and will cost \$2,000.

The electric line is carrying thousands of packages of peaches at present, both on the Saugatuck and the Grand Rapids divisions, to deliver at the Graham & Morton boats.

Rev. D. R. Drukker of Drenthe has moved here and will occupy the house formerly owned by G. Van Tubbergen on south Central avenue. Mr. Drukker will be pastor of the new English speaking Christian Reformed congregation.

Revs. C. C. John and G. H. Dubbink of this city, T. W. Mullenberg of Grand Haven, and J. B. De Young of Vriesland, took part in the missionary rally held at Grand Rapids Monday by the Reformed churches of Western Michigan.

N. Gilmore and family have moved from 129 East Eighth street to 166 East Seventh street. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. Waffle of Ottawa Station will move here and make their home with Mr. Gilmore.

The gypsies arrested at Plainwell by Marshal Kamferbeek for the larceny of some ducks belonging to J. Burgess on the north side of the bay a few days ago, were up before Justice Van Duren Wednesday night and paid costs and the value of the ducks amounting in all to \$30. The gypsies had plenty of money with them.

Mrs. Grant Lamphere died Tuesday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wareham, 177 West Eighth street. She had been ill with consumption for some time. Two small children will be taken care of by Mr. and Mrs. Wareham. The funeral takes place this afternoon from the house, Rev. A. Clarke officiating.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union has planned for a most delightful lecture-entertainment to be given next week by Mrs. F. H. Preston of Detroit. On Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock she will address a parlor meeting at the home of Mrs. O. H. Wing on West Thirteenth street; and Wednesday evening she will speak in the Methodist church. Mrs. Preston is a colored lady of rare ability. She is well known throughout the state. Many of the W. C. T. U. women will remember hearing her at conventions where she has moved her audiences to tears or laughter at her will. Mrs. Preston gives dialect readings and songs, interspersed with dynamic utterances which are very much worth hearing. If any one hears her once they are eager to hear her again. Every one is invited to these meetings. No admission will be charged but a collection will be taken. The meeting was put on Wednesday night so that all the business people might attend.

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